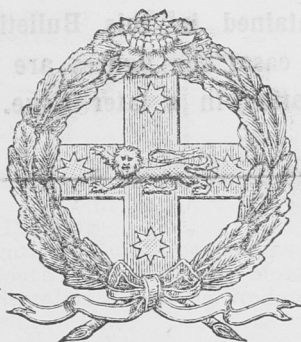


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MEMORANDA.

Trade.—The Oversea imports, excluding gold, during June were valued at £4,143,619, and show an increase of £1,572,923 or 61·1 per cent., as compared with the corresponding month of last year. The total for twelve months, July to June, 1918-19, was £42,509,710, an increase of £14,141,697, or over 49·8 per cent., in comparison with the figures for 1917-18.

The Oversea exports, excluding gold, during June amounted to £2,775,523, being an increase of £55,029, or 1·9 per cent., as compared with the corresponding month of last year. For the twelve months, July to June, 1918-19, there was an increase of £11,919,374, or 32·2 per cent., compared with the year 1917-18.

Imports at Sydney.—Excluding the value of the imports from State ports, the articles imported at the port of Sydney in June were valued at £4,636,596. The following is a summary of the imports during the month:—

					Weight and Measurement.	Value.
					tons.	£
Imports Oversea	...	...	...	...	67,727	4,042,738
„ Interstate	...	...	...	...	25,008	593,858
„ From State ports	...	...	...	...	160,521	Not available.
Transhipments—						
Oversea...	...	...	...	...	8,429	„
Interstate	...	...	...	...	15,227	„
To State ports	...	...	...	...	916	„

A few special articles, denoted by number in the detailed table within, have been converted into weight or measurement, and are included in the above statement. During the twelve months ended June, 1919, the Oversea imports were valued at £41,849,122, and the Interstate imports at £17,040,336, the total of the two being £58,889,458.

Public Finances.—The Public Accounts for June show that the net revenue for the month was £3,790,350, or £95,305 more than in June of last year, an increase of 2·5 per cent. During the twelve months ended 30th June, the revenue was £23,452,637, being £1,885,186 or 8·7 per cent. more than in the last financial year.

Principal increases during the twelve months were— £

From Commonwealth Returns	...	...	48,356
Taxation	...	...	223,453
Railways and Tramways	...	...	1,403,273
Sydney Harbour Trust	...	...	51,493
Water and Sewerage Rates	...	...	175,988

Principal decreases during the same period were— £

Receipts for Other Services	...	...	55,195
Public Lands	...	...	10,214
Interest on Transferred Properties	...	...	9,379

The expenditure during June was £1,535,292, a decrease of £35,577, or 2·2 per cent., as compared with June of last year. During the twelve months ended 30th June, the expenditure was £22,227,572, being £1,596,424, or 7·7 per cent. more than in 1917-18.

Principal increases during the twelve months were—		£
Government Departments	...	236,674
Business Undertakings...	...	1,182,134
Interest Payments	...	177,616

On the 30th June, 1919, the Consolidated Revenue Account was in debit to the amount of £244,545.

Mineral Production, 1918.—The value of minerals won in New South Wales during 1918 was equal to £13,941,164, there being a net increase of £1,376,691 on the value for 1917. To the total, gold contributed £369,743; silver and silver-lead, £5,131,167; coal, £4,941,807; copper, £696,580, and tin, £548,876. The aggregate value of all minerals won up to the end of 1917 is estimated at £299,659,821.

The gold yield during June, 1919, was 4,080 oz. crude, equal to 3,994 oz. fine, valued at £16,967, and showed a decrease of 3,478 oz. fine, and £14,775 in value, compared with June of last year. The value of the gold produced during the six months was £114,792, and showed a decrease of 17,680 oz. fine, and £75,100 in value, in the figures for the corresponding period of last year.

Railways.—The Report on the Railways for the year ended 30th June, 1919, shows that the earnings amounted to £9,958,173, and were £1,003,293, or 11·2 per cent. more than in the preceding year. Of the increased revenue, the net increase in earnings in passengers' fares amounted to £60,529; £444,137 resulted from the operation of increased rates and fares from 1st November, 1918, which increase was, however, exceeded by losses of revenue from other causes, principally due to the curtailment of traffic through the influenza outbreak, and the balance, £942,764, from additional business. The working expenses were £6,904,450, the balance being £3,053,723, or £39,290 in advance of 1917-18. After paying working expenses and interest on capital, there was a deficit of £211,817. The proportion of working expenses to earnings increased from 66·34 to 69·33 per cent. The expenditure in respect of the extra cost of salaries and wages due to Wages Boards awards, and of the additional cost of coal and other materials used during the year, represents increases of £218,006, and £200,023 respectively.

All sources of earnings, with the exception of the revenue from the carriage of parcels, &c., show satisfactory increases as compared with the previous year.

Tramways.—The total earnings on all lines of Tramways for the year 1918-19 amounted to £2,237,701, and the working expenses to £1,850,724, leaving a surplus of £386,977, equivalent to a return of 4·54 per cent. on the capital expended on construction and equipment.

Banks.—The principal features disclosed in the banking averages for the quarter ending 30th June, are a fair addition to the advances made, an expansion of deposits (both current accounts and those bearing interest), and a slight increase in cash held. Compared with the returns of the previous year, there was a decrease of £910,197 in current accounts, but an increase in the total deposits of £7,375,501, the latter item being inclusive of Savings Bank deposits—interest-bearing—of the Commonwealth Bank of Australia, amounting to £5,139,350. Reserves of coin and bullion decreased by £396,694 since June, 1918, but increased by

£103,527 during the quarter. Advances increased during the year by £15,793,280, and during the quarter by £1,586,498. The proportion of cash, bullion, and notes to total liabilities now stands at 23·7 per cent., as compared with 24·1 per cent. for the previous quarter. Included in the total value of cash held is an amount of £12,143,196 Australian Notes, as against £11,042,479 at the end of June, 1918.

Land Selections.—During June 145 applications were made for 147,936 acres under the Crown Lands Acts; and 84,969 acres, representing 308 blocks, were gazetted for residential settlement, which include areas set apart for returned soldiers. Since the beginning of the year the number of applications has been 909, and the area applied for 877,542 acres. The original area gazetted for residential settlement since the 1st January is 466,208 acres, representing 850 blocks.

Cost of Living, Sydney.—From the information collected each month (*see* Table 56) as to the retail prices in Sydney of food and groceries, it appears that in June, 1919, prices were 52·3 per cent. higher than in July, 1914; 12·8 per cent. higher than in June, 1918; and 0·3 per cent. higher than in the preceding month, May, 1919.

Meat, which is included in the results quoted above, shows prices in June, 1919, 73·0 per cent. higher than in July, 1914; 7·2 per cent. higher than in June, 1918; and practically the same as in May, 1919.

The following is a statement of the price levels since July, 1914, the levels for which were taken as base, and called 100 :—

Month.				Meat.	Other Food and Groceries.	Meat, other Food and Groceries combined.
July,	1914	...	..	100	100	100
June,	1915	...	...	140·8	109·4	117·5
"	1916	...	...	167·6	118·7	131·3
"	1917	...	...	158·8	122·1	131·6
"	1918	...	...	161·3	125·9	135·1
January,	1919	...	...	166·6	140·2	147·0
February	"	...	...	166·6	143·4	149·4
March	"	...	...	169·9	144·7	151·2
April	"	...	...	173·0	142·9	150·7
May	"	...	...	173·1	144·5	151·9
June	"	...	...	173·0	145·1	152·3

Prices of meat were about the same as in the preceding month, potatoes and eggs were slightly cheaper, while higher prices ruled for onions, coffee, rice, starch, and candles.

Meteorology.—The weather during June was exceptionally dry, quite in contrast with the conditions ruling during May, when bountiful rains occurred. Falls of rain approaching the average were received, however, on the Central and Northern Seaboard and Tablelands and in parts of the Southern border districts, but elsewhere the falls were very poor and scattered. In many parts of the Western and Central Divisions there was little or no rain.

The temperature experienced generally was mild to warm, with cold nights.

Vital Statistics—Sydney and Suburbs — June, 1919.—The births registered numbered 1,383, equal to 20·95 per 1,000 of population per annum; of the total, 717 were males and 666 females. The rate is exceedingly low, being 21 per cent. below the average of the previous five years.

The deaths numbered 1,857 namely, 959 males and 898 females. The mortality rate of 28.11 per 1,000 of population per annum is abnormal, being 160 per cent. above the average of the previous five years. The high rate is attributable to the deaths from influenza, 1,049 deaths being ascribed to this cause during the month. Of these, 867 were certified as due to pneumonic-influenza, 67 to influenza, and 115 to influenza with pneumonia. The deaths were above the average in all age-groups, except under 1 year.

The infantile mortality was 73.7 per 1,000 births, and is 17.9 per cent. above the average for the month of June, for the previous five years.

New Buildings—Metropolis.—According to returns supplied by the several Town Clerks, there were erected, in the Metropolitan area, during June, 458 new buildings, as compared with 420 in June, 1918.

The total for the six months, January to June, was 2,909 as compared with 2,471 during the corresponding period of 1918.

The following is a statement of the price levels since July, 1914, the levels for which were taken as base, and called 100—

Month.	Meat.	Other Food and Beverages.	Meat, Other Food and Beverages combined.
July, 1914	100	100	100
August, 1914	140.8	100.4	117.5
September, 1914	147.8	118.7	133.8
October, 1914	158.8	123.1	141.0
November, 1914	161.8	123.9	145.1
December, 1914	166.6	140.2	147.0
January, 1915	166.6	143.4	149.4
February, 1915	166.0	144.7	151.2
March, 1915	173.0	147.0	160.7
April, 1915	173.1	147.0	161.9
May, 1915	173.0	147.1	162.8

Prices of meat were about the same as in the preceding month. Potatoes and eggs were slightly cheaper, while higher prices ruled for onions, coffee, rice, starchy and candies.

Meteorology.—The weather during June was exceptionally dry, quite in contrast with the conditions ruling during May, when abundant rains occurred. Falls of rain approaching the average were recorded, however, on the Central and Northern Slopes and Tablelands and in parts of the Southern border districts, but elsewhere the falls were very poor and scattered. In many parts of the Western and Central Divisions there was little or no rain. The temperature experienced generally was mild to warm, with cold nights.

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No. 1.—Population.

Year.	Estimated Population at end of Year.			Annual Increase.		Mean Population.
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Numerical.	Per cent.	
1908	809,240	750,786	1,560,026	28,046	1'83	1,545,700
1909	829,329	767,356	1,596,685	36,659	2'35	1,577,200
1910	852,680	785,540	1,638,220	41,535	2'60	1,616,200
1911	889,391	809,345	1,698,736*	62,240*	3'80	1,664,500*
1912	935,979	842,983	1,778,962	80,226	4'72	1,738,600
1913	962,749	869,707	1,832,456	53,494	3'01	1,809,400
1914	967,033	894,995	1,862,028	29,572	1'61	1,853,400
1915	953,162	917,253	1,870,415	8,387	'45	1,868,200
1916	923,113	934,807	1,857,920	(-)12,495	(-) '67	1,866,300
1917	934,252	954,877	1,889,129	31,209	1'68	1,874,400
1918	956,237	971,937	1,928,174	39,045	2'07	1,909,500
1919—31st March	969,579	974,606	1,944,185	...	...	...
„ 30th June	983,127	977,470	1,960,597	...	...	...

*The population includes Aborigines of full-blood, viz., 2,012, of whom 1,152 are males and 860 females.

(-) Denotes decrease.

* The population since 1st January, 1911, is exclusive of Federal Capital Area, the population of which at the Census on 2nd April, 1911, was 1,724, of whom 997 were males and 727 females.

No. 2.—Marriages, Births, and Deaths.

Year.	Births.	Deaths.	Marriages.	Annual Rate per 1,000 Population.			Infantile Mortality.
				Births.	Deaths.	Marriages.	Deaths under one year per 1,000 Births.
1908	42,525	16,090	12,642	27'51	10'41	8'18	75'79
1909	43,769	15,840	13,048	27'75	10'04	8'27	74'28
1910	45,533	16,191	14,294	28'17	10'02	8'85	74'60
1911	47,677	17,179	15,267	28'64	10'32	9'17	69'49
1912	51,993	18,886	16,664	29'90	10'86	9'58	71'30
1913	52,134	19,732	16,311	28'81	10'91	9'01	78'34
1914	53,615	18,777	17,353	28'93	10'13	9'36	69'72
1915	52,885	19,610	18,129	28'31	10'50	9'70	68'13
1916	52,075	19,854	16,320	27'90	10'64	8'74	67'84
1917	52,467	17,969	13,261	27'99	9'59	7'07	57'56
1918	50,700	18,840	13,199	26'55	9'87	6'91	59'17
Jan. to Mar., 1919	12,266	4,510	3,384	25'45	9'36	7'02	66'28
„ „ 1918	12,103	4,054	3,109	25'35	8'49	6'51	61'89

No. 3.—Movement of Population.

Year	Arrivals.					Departures.				
	By Sea.		By Land.		Total.	By Sea.		By Land.		Total.
	Males.	Females	Males.	Females		Males.	Females	Males.	Females	
1908 ...	66,156	35,433	94,885	48,685	245,159	60,474	33,047	99,282	50,745	243,548
1909 ...	69,330	36,580	96,069	48,130	250,509	59,729	32,775	98,878	50,397	241,779
1910 ...	72,421	39,104	108,870	54,821	275,216	62,093	34,421	109,941	56,568	263,023
1911 ...	92,260	49,398	132,988	65,470	340,125	71,308	39,987	130,745	66,343	308,383
1912 ...	106,187	57,601	147,629	73,980	385,397	81,722	43,288	141,032	72,236	338,278
1913 ...	92,925	53,824	156,536	77,905	381,190	81,087	44,097	156,695	78,219	360,098
1914 ...	91,413	51,730	167,833	89,183	400,159	98,626	47,311	172,769	86,719	405,425
1915 ...	70,586	39,512	181,874	94,081	386,053	104,215	36,979	177,764	91,983	410,941
1916 ...	58,913	36,198	197,954	105,076	398,141	112,469	36,652	189,561	104,175	442,857
1917 ...	48,824	26,334	151,972	82,701	309,831	63,625	25,466	142,561	81,468	313,120
1918 ...	46,851	20,761	172,403	98,464	338,479	49,871	18,184	162,482	100,757	331,294
Jan. to June, 1919	36,020	7,073	45,543	23,603	112,239	16,112	6,253	43,232	25,283	90,880
" 1918	25,054	13,012	86,486	49,627	174,179	29,473	11,430	79,481	50,789	171,173
Apl. to June, 1919	19,554	2,673	22,884	10,452	55,563	7,826	2,082	22,062	10,489	42,459
" 1918	11,078	5,462	41,613	22,986	81,139	16,425	4,938	37,294	23,899	82,556

No. 4.—Countries whence Immigrants arrived.

Year.	Other Australian States.		United Kingdom	New Zealand.	Other Countries.	Total.
	By Land.	By Sea.				
1908 ...	143,570	56,582	10,537	20,612	13,858	245,159
1909 ...	144,199	55,285	15,057	23,040	12,928	250,509
1910 ...	163,691	58,146	16,537	22,410	14,432	275,216
1911 ...	198,458	71,262	24,217	27,008	19,180	340,125
1912 ...	221,609	75,872	36,925	26,696	24,295	385,397
1913 ...	234,441	71,490	30,318	23,284	21,657	381,190
1914 ...	257,016	75,875	19,936	25,290	22,042	400,159
1915 ...	275,955	65,736	7,299	18,037	19,026	386,053
1916 ...	303,030	55,423	2,721	15,065	21,902	398,141
1917 ...	234,673	40,095	382	10,682	23,999	309,831
1918 ...	270,867	28,868	494	9,682	28,568	338,479
Jan. to June, 1919 ...	69,146	5,617	2,136	4,188	31,152	112,239
" 1918 ...	136,113	18,019	474	5,744	13,829	174,179
April to June, 1919...	33,336	1,066	874	2,364	17,923	55,563
" 1918 ...	64,599	7,196	21	2,832	6,491	81,139

No. 5.—Countries for which Emigrants departed.

Year.	Other Australian States.		United Kingdom.	New Zealand.	Other Countries.	Total.
	By Land.	By Sea.				
1908 ...	150,027	51,590	7,467	22,141	12,323	243,548
1909 ...	149,275	54,756	6,766	17,812	13,170	241,779
1910 ...	166,509	56,722	7,834	17,247	14,711	263,023
1911 ...	197,088	66,922	8,837	18,593	16,943	308,383
1912 ...	213,268	71,179	11,647	19,691	22,493	338,278
1913 ...	234,914	68,923	13,002	20,767	22,492	360,098
1914 ...	259,488	71,875	15,426	23,213	35,423	405,425
1915 ...	269,747	58,811	6,506	17,927	57,950	410,941
1916 ...	293,736	51,624	3,522	15,902	78,073	442,857
1917 ...	224,029	36,587	3,628	10,204	38,672	313,120
1918 ...	263,239	25,493	489	8,189	33,884	331,294
Jan. to June, 1919 ...	68,515	5,925	3,108	3,257	10,075	90,880
" 1918 ...	130,270	16,606	471	5,012	18,814	171,173
April to June, 1919...	32,551	2,550	2,326	571	4,461	42,459
" 1918 ...	61,193	7,003	284	2,300	11,776	82,556

No. 6.—Population—Metropolis.

Year.	Estimated Population at end of Year.			Annual Increase.		Mean Population.
	Sydney (including Shipping).	Suburbs.	Total.	Numerical.	Per cent.	
1908	112,900	479,200	592,100	14,920	2'58	584,700
1909	120,660	485,240	605,900	13,800	2'33	599,000
1910	119,800	502,430	622,230	16,330	2'70	614,100
1911	118,800	538,000	656,800	34,570	5'56	639,500
1912	116,400	578,400	694,800	38,000	5'79	675,800
1913	115,900	609,500	725,400	30,600	4'40	710,100
1914	110,700	641,800	752,500	27,100	3'74	741,200
1915	104,200	658,800	763,000	10,500	1'31	757,750
1916	106,000	658,600	764,600	1,600	0'21	763,800
1917	106,000	671,300	777,300	12,700	1'66	771,000
1918	106,000	686,700	792,700	15,400	1'98	785,000

NOTE.—The population of Ku-ring-gai Shire (15,560 on 31st December, 1918) is included above as from 1st January, 1911.

No. 7.—Vital Statistics—Metropolis.

Year.	Births.	Deaths.		Marriages.	Annual Rate per 1,000 Population.			Infantile Mortality.
		Total.	Under one year.		Births.	Deaths.	Marriages.	Deaths under one year per 1,000 Births.
1907	14,334	6,238	1,380	5,474	25'21	10'97	9'63	96'3
1908	14,861	6,036	1,229	5,974	25'42	10'32	10'22	82'7
1909	15,461	6,149	1,261	6,367	25'81	10'27	10'62	81'6
1910	16,204	6,365	1,329	6,931	26'39	10'36	11'29	82'0
1911	17,829	6,973	1,268	7,640	27'88	10'90	11'95	71'1
1912	20,140	7,681	1,530	8,923	29'80	11'37	13'20	76'0
1913	20,535	7,938	1,608	8,892	28'92	11'18	12'52	78'3
1914	20,821	7,603	1,452	9,479	28'09	10'26	12'79	69'7
1915	20,871	8,189	1,512	10,122	27'54	10'81	13'58	72'4
1916	20,856	8,156	1,428	9,009	27'31	10'66	11'80	68'5
1917	20,278	7,518	1,212	7,009	26'30	9'75	9'09	59'8
1918	19,526	7,862	1,225	6,906	24'87	10'02	8'83	62'7
Jan.-June, 1919	9,506	6,441	691	...	23'98	16'25	...	72'7
" 1918	9,700	3,527	579	3,493	24'71	8'99	8'90	59'7
June, 1919	1,383	1,857	102	...	20'94	28'11	...	73'8
" 1918	1,526	658	90	578	23'33	10'06	8'84	59'0

No. 8.—Health of the Metropolis—June, 1919.

In calculating the averages for previous five years, due allowance has been made for increase in population.

Particulars.				June, 1919.	Average of June, for previous five years.	Causes of Death.		June, 1919.	Average of June, for previous five years.
Births	...	...	...	1,383	1,743	Epidemic Diseases	...	1,065	25
Deaths	...	...	...	1,857	715	Pulmonary Diseases	...	131	99
						Diseases of the Heart	...	128	89
Illegitimate Births	...	...	...	94	123	Cancer	...	70	60
Deaths under 1	...	...	...	102	109	Developmental Diseases of Infants.	...	57	58
" 1-4	...	...	...	56	42	Phthisis	...	55	39
" 5-64	...	...	...	1,384	348	Bright's Disease (Acute and Chronic).	...	47	52
" 65 and over	...	...	...	315	216	Senility	...	46	36
Annual Rates per 1,000 of Population—						Diarrhoea and Enteritis	...	31	25
Births	...	...	...	20'95	26'38	Hæmorrhage of the Brain, &c.	...	27	32
Deaths	...	...	...	28'11	10'82	Accident	...	19	26
Illegitimate Births	...	...	...	1'42	1'86				
Deaths under 1 per 1,000 Births	...	...	...	73'7	62'5				

No. 9.—Principal Causes of Death—Six Months, January to June, 1919 and 1918.

Causes of Death.	Sydney and Suburbs.				New South Wales.			
	1919.			1918.	1919.			1918.
	Males.	Females.	Total.		Males.	Females.	Total.	
General Diseases—								
Typhoid Fever	14	16	30	25	46	31	77	68
Measles ... ..	...	...	...	8	2	3	5	8
Scarlet Fever	1	2	3	2	7	6	13	4
Whooping-cough	14	18	32	5	44	40	84	47
Diphtheria and Croup	11	11	22	63	33	31	64	140
Influenza	55	72	127	9	99	111	210	34
Pneumonic-influenza	1,338	795	2,133	...	1,920	1,118	3,038	...
Influenza and Pneumonia	122	96	218	...	199	138	337	...
Dysentery	3	3	6	5	13	11	24	14
Other Epidemic Diseases	12	5	17	4	18	7	25	8
Purulent Infection, Septicæmia	4	3	7	10	13	6	19	21
Tetanus	9	...	9	8	16	2	18	22
Tuberculosis—Lungs	127	80	207	184	355	211	566	508
Other Organs	26	12	38	35	43	25	63	79
General	1	5	6	2	3	6	9	8
Syphilis	10	8	18	7	19	12	31	21
Cancer	211	194	405	409	474	377	851	799
Rheumatism	11	8	19	15	34	26	60	50
Diabetes	19	25	44	51	41	51	92	101
Exophthalmic Goitre ... ..	...	14	14	9	...	18	18	11
Anæmia, Chlorosis	27	22	49	51	48	40	88	84
Other General Diseases	17	27	44	46	57	37	94	91
Local Diseases—								
Meningitis	12	7	19	29	30	21	51	96
Cerebro-spinal Meningitis	2	4	6	...	5	5	10	...
Diseases of Spinal Cord	16	8	24	27	47	20	67	105
Hæmorrhage, &c., of Brain	77	77	154	141	210	174	384	350
General Paralysis of Insane	37	9	46	31	46	9	55	42
Convulsions of Infants	15	4	19	12	50	29	79	59
Other Nervous Diseases	30	25	55	54	85	61	146	123
Acute Endocarditis	24	20	44	21	33	34	67	46
Organic Diseases of Heart	201	228	429	393	538	443	981	952
Other Diseases Circulatory System	72	62	134	137	177	108	285	263
Bronchitis	53	63	116	85	132	121	253	203
Pneumonia, Broncho-pneumonia	124	134	258	178	302	236	538	411
Other Diseases Respiratory System	26	25	51	51	69	55	124	131
Diseases of Stomach	9	11	20	29	38	35	73	82
Diarrhoea and Enteritis (under 2)	142	110	252	181	330	263	593	384
" " (over 2)	39	45	84	53	124	137	261	136
Appendicitis	19	9	28	26	41	31	72	70
Hernia, Intestinal Obstruction	22	17	39	35	48	41	89	92
Cirrhosis of Liver	9	12	21	30	36	16	52	69
Other Diseases Digestive System	24	25	49	56	55	65	120	108
Nephritis	131	109	240	195	283	182	465	397
Other Diseases Urinary System	48	7	55	50	103	12	115	118
Diseases of Genital Organs ... ..	...	14	14	15	...	26	26	36
Puerperal Condition ... ..	...	66	66	62	...	115	115	119
Diseases of Skin, &c.	6	11	17	17	34	24	58	45
Diseases of Bones, &c.	3	3	6	7	9	6	15	20
Congenital Malformations	30	13	43	52	52	33	85	112
Diseases of Early Infancy	157	141	298	277	422	321	743	709
Senility	75	99	174	138	353	273	626	463
Violence—								
Suicide	39	18	57	33	86	27	113	88
Accident	96	46	142	134	344	101	445	422
Homicide	11	4	15	6	13	6	19	11
War Casualties	3	...	3	4	4	...	4	5
Not Classed (Open Verdict)	8	3	11	3	25	3	28	28
Undefined Causes	13	6	19	17	55	26	81	83
Total	3,605	2,851	6,456	3,527	7,663	5,366	13,029	8,456

Approximate Mean Annual Death-rate per 1,000 of Population—

	Sydney and Suburbs.				New South Wales			
1914-1918	...	10.66	...	...	...	11.39	...	...
1919	...	16.29	...	...	...	13.51	...	...

No. 10.—Trade Comparison—Oversea—Annual.

Year.	Imports.	Exports.	Year.	Imports.	Exports.
	£	£	(Jan. to June)	£	£
1908	19,828,486	26,880,709	1914	16,677,336	15,738,313
1909	20,888,019	26,044,789	1914-15	27,323,243	28,107,025
1910	23,238,993	32,035,451	1915-16	33,379,698	40,975,416
1911	27,343,428	32,161,401	1916-17	32,742,297	50,290,824
1912	32,303,630	32,958,529	1917-18	†28,447,579	†36,929,487
1913	32,350,663	32,839,789	1918-19	†42,509,710	†48,871,726

† Exclusive of gold.

No. 11.—Trade Comparison—Oversea Imports—Monthly.

Month.	1914-15.	1915-16.	1916-17.	1917-18.	1918-19.	(+) Increase (-) Decrease in 1918-19.
	£	£	£	£	£	£
July ...	3,284,693	2,814,485	2,871,984	2,306,512	2,629,437	(+) 322,925
August ...	2,919,146	3,532,624	3,254,124	1,240,785	4,214,401	(+) 2,973,616
September ...	2,088,007	2,486,149	3,054,850	1,922,038	4,002,031	(+) 2,079,993
October ...	2,202,579	3,245,746	3,416,811	2,608,655	3,898,868	(+) 1,290,153
November ...	2,248,877	2,245,324	3,116,342	3,104,517	3,878,498	(+) 773,981
December ...	2,145,654	2,342,661	2,815,803	2,516,463	2,390,539	(-) 125,924
January ...	2,360,881	2,525,756	3,412,759	3,343,368	3,859,970	(+) 516,602
February ...	2,070,512	2,728,772	2,221,050	2,920,571	2,685,583	(-) 234,988
March ...	2,309,687	2,814,847	2,581,198	1,863,177	4,141,454	(+) 2,278,277
April ...	2,041,257	2,675,501	1,575,004	2,248,709	3,539,921	(+) 1,291,212
May ...	1,640,828	2,897,353	2,432,615	1,722,522	3,125,449	(+) 1,402,927
June ...	2,127,071	3,079,430	1,988,026	2,570,696	4,143,619	(+) 1,572,923
Total (12 months)	27,439,192	33,388,648	32,740,566	28,368,013	42,509,710	(+) 14,141,697

Note.—The monthly figures are subject to slight alterations, consequently their total does not agree with the figures in Table 10.

No. 12.—Trade Comparison—Oversea Exports—Monthly.

Month.	1914-15.	1915-16.	1916-17.	1917-18.	1918-19.	(+) Increase (-) Decrease in 1918-19.
	£	£	£	£	£	£
July ...	2,264,253	3,915,380	2,032,591	3,238,098	2,729,981	(-) 508,117
August ...	1,141,257	3,296,657	3,458,771	1,931,177	4,366,374	(+) 2,435,197
September ...	1,682,667	4,233,890	3,314,836	1,781,441	2,740,632	(+) 959,191
October ...	2,356,157	4,013,798	4,335,913	3,167,519	3,693,283	(+) 525,764
November ...	2,497,203	3,449,824	3,206,746	3,285,611	4,676,787	(+) 1,391,176
December ...	3,367,226	4,206,279	4,566,580	4,068,424	3,084,678	(-) 983,746
January ...	2,010,195	2,402,033	3,051,917	3,852,808	3,524,389	(-) 328,419
February ...	2,660,956	3,646,039	4,016,127	3,557,018	6,070,369	(+) 2,513,351
March ...	3,101,336	3,497,558	4,137,732	2,421,662	4,894,783	(+) 2,473,121
April ...	2,244,231	3,061,677	3,385,138	2,958,943	5,846,472	(+) 2,887,529
May ...	1,846,708	2,933,409	3,106,228	3,969,157	4,468,455	(+) 499,298
June ...	3,270,284	2,319,989	3,534,126	2,720,494	2,775,523	(+) 55,029
Total (12 months)	28,442,473	40,976,533	42,146,705	36,952,352	48,871,726	(+) 11,919,374

Note.—See note to Table 11.

No. 13.—Principal Articles Imported Oversea, Annually.

Article.		1916-17.		1917-18.		* 1918-19.	
		Quantity.	Value. £	Quantity.	Value. £	Quantity.	Value. £
Ale and Beer—Bottle...	gal.	256,332	57,037	49,785	15,026	34,793	13,597
Bulk ...	...	175	17	...	...	...	...
Apparel and Attire ...	...	...	981,342	...	771,004	...	964,751
Socks and Stockings ...	...	...	425,160	...	334,487	...	744,711
Bags and Sacks—							
Bran, Chaff, &c. ...	doz.	275,279	89,660	294,550	109,756	500,493	237,202
Corn and Flour ...	...	1,698,512	587,832	1,131,340	437,283	1,483,205	595,460
Woolpacks ...	No.	968,111	141,716	885,250	159,203	1,739,603	643,829
Other ...	doz.	58,626	15,057	25,060	7,910	22,940	7,186
Bags, Purses, N.E.I. ...	...	...	110,975	...	68,021	...	58,367
Blankets, and Blanketing ...	...	...	61,271	...	5,697	...	16,210
Books (Printed) &c. ...	...	...	205,298	...	225,623	...	286,634
Boots and Shoes ...	...	...	228,857	...	131,398	...	124,346
Bullion—							
Gold—Bar, Ingots, &c. oz.	oz.	49,699	198,454	...	...	...	...
Silver—Bar, Ingots, &c. oz.	oz.	3,539	496	494,763	95,403	309,588	77,078
Canvas and Duck ...	...	...	212,911	...	158,624	...	312,964
Carpets and Carpeting ...	...	...	168,422	...	177,138	...	258,800
Cement (Portland) ...	wt.	1,957	306	14	2	2	8
Clocks and Watches ...	...	...	130,452	...	94,347	...	156,497
Cocoa and Chocolate ...	lb.	2,221,400	181,835	1,868,270	77,107	3,321,155	133,012
Confectionery, N.E.I. ...	lb.	1,015,290	51,577	167,217	11,035	9,376	778
Copper—							
Pipes and Tubes (plain) cwt.	cwt.	1,807	14,600	599	7,769	1,512	19,559
Copra ...	cwt.	248,247	281,417	508,791	642,200	618,066	794,560
Cordage and Twines—							
Sewing Silks, &c. ...	...	...	292,916	...	322,841	...	372,274
Cosies, Cushions, &c. ...	...	...	41,475	...	165,910	...	233,810
Cutlery, N.E.I. ...	...	...	135,987	...	135,527	...	186,499
Drugs and Chemicals—							
Cream of Tartar ...	cwt.	8,672	51,206	14,036	181,909	14,565	267,996
Other ...	...	...	192,590	...	149,878	...	...
Earthenware, &c. ...	...	...	88,382	...	81,315	...	98,456
Electrical Articles—							
Cable and Wire covered cwt.	cwt.	27,974	192,222	10,965	118,402	42,514	330,217
Fancy Goods ...	...	...	153,190	...	165,274	...	211,680
Fish—Preserved in tins, &c. lb.	lb.	8,616,430	308,588	9,803,655	457,843	4,021,272	209,958
Floor Cloths and Coverings ...	...	...	206,154	...	174,362	...	221,897
Fruits, Fresh—Apples centals	centals	44,173	55,844	17,230	20,606	7,576	472
Bananas ...	...	254,323	138,553	124,280	78,664	58,902	45,964
Other ...	...	11,490	17,731	945	1,722	444	435
Furniture ...	...	...	25,936	...	17,495	...	27,834
Gloves ...	...	...	97,747	...	121,602	...	166,754
Grain—Maize ...	centals	19,547	6,951	1,805	761	47,218	26,419
Oats ...	...	201	110	235	158	14,121	8,431
Rice ...	...	232,232	129,282	473,356	266,636	125,640	123,642
Hats and Caps ...	...	...	151,111	...	125,160	...	100,464
Hessians ...	...	...	172,198	...	187,260	...	750,945
Instruments—							
Kinematographs, &c. ...	...	...	261,279	...	4,840	...	7,495
Pianos ...	No.	4,465	130,827	5,243	165,133	3,493	150,874
Parts ...	...	...	31,628	...	42,496	...	65,534
Iron and Steel—							
Bar, Rod, Angle, Tee cwt.	cwt.	474,982	422,261	97,448	132,445	87,754	145,588
Girders, Beams ...	...	75,348	58,165	38,752	38,808	24,515	33,246
Pig ...	...	64,379	20,435	21,428	12,381	7,873	4,788
Plate and Sheet—							
Galvanised ...	...	207,625	339,427	100,352	229,343	222,464	558,404
Not galvanised ...	...	170,064	131,743	47,990	69,000	233,305	324,877
Jewellery ...	...	...	86,186	...	66,142	...	58,053
Precious stones, unset ...	...	...	164,590	...	215,235	...	218,399
Leather ...	...	...	213,840	...	119,563	...	171,953
Machines and Machinery—							
Agricultural ...	...	...	229,760	...	210,550	...	276,388
Electrical ...	...	...	410,570	...	271,775	...	519,194
Engines ...	...	...	116,504	...	78,429	...	104,894
Mining ...	...	...	23,234	...	29,810	...	42,148
Motive Power ...	...	...	90,914	...	83,808	...	98,957

Preliminary figures, subject to revision.

No. 13.—Principal Articles Imported Oversea, Annually—continued.

Article.	1916-17.		1917-18.		1918-19.*	
	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.
Machines and Machinery—		£		£		£
Sewing ... ..	...	109,004	...	107,765	...	181,799
Other ... ..	...	883,010	...	670,918	...	935,799
Matches ... ..	...	40,745	...	83,366	773,708	185,328
Medicines ... ..	...	251,954	...	272,510	...	163,661
Metals, Manufactures—						
Pipes and Tubes ... ..	...	299,080	...	196,690	...	279,922
Wire ... ..	...	173,831	...	241,678	...	205,542
Wire Netting ... ..	...	2,896	...	483	...	7,079
Miscellaneous ... ..	...	979,111	...	775,726	...	1,330,804
Oils in Bulk—						
Benzine gal.	5,168,196	388,026	5,194,734	395,466	10,986,649	592,517
Benzoline, &c.	1,516,901	110,694	1,494,129	119,897	...	...
Kerosene	6,050,952	166,569	5,933,947	160,683	4,732,432	212,489
Lubricating Mineral	2,633,720	158,955	2,772,229	236,935	3,716,947	441,143
Paints & Colours prep'd for use cwt.	15,460	42,876	5,407	17,777	6,532	28,423
Paper—Printing ... ..	...	728,682	...	477,082	...	661,817
Writing ... ..	...	207,358	...	155,299	...	274,386
Piece Goods—						
Cotton, Linen ... ..	...	2,534,328	...	2,715,357	...	4,992,805
Flannels ... ..	...	67,704	...	7,801	...	4,062
Horsehair Cloth ... ..	...	17,539	...	15,705	...	51,326
Rubbered Waterproof ... ..	...	12,794	...	21,854	...	56,871
Silk ... ..	...	704,941	...	1,045,885	...	1,356,432
Velvets, Velvetene ... ..	...	313,289	...	402,720	...	428,368
Woollens ... ..	...	1,296,101	...	850,014	...	995,879
N.E.I. ... ..	...	195,858	...	118,001	...	318,718
Other ... ..	...	103,257	...	123,191	...	153,204
Rails, Fish Plates, &c. ... ..	...	11,123	...	1,044	...	697
Rubber Manufactures ... ..	...	493,006	...	438,725	...	129,221
Specie—Bronze ... ..	...	207	...	60	...	...
Gold ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...
Silver ... ..	...	26,910	...	46,422	...	20,560
Spirits—Brandy, bottled gal.	25,725	26,151	7,408	10,119	2,936	5,555
„ bulk	138,826	78,624	28,840	20,087	10,936	16,274
Gin—British	59,448	23,379	16,706	11,388	8,013	10,471
Hollands, Geneva	30,188½	9,454	5,984	3,186	1,964	1,724
Schnapps	68,673	26,649	21,532	9,227	9,562	10,639
Rum—Bottled	1,241	1,299	...	...	92	107
„ Bulk	27,982	10,097	28,987	13,040	12,283	9,801
Whisky—Bottled	25,176	21,062	18,213	14,640	38,326	12,386
„ Bulk	916,877	613,021	564,966	464,886	474,573	551,190
Stationery ... ..	...	180,883	...	141,633	...	204,028
Sugar—Cane cwt.	1,031,892	975,286	224,719	207,014	186,435	183,161
Tea lb.	19,373,545	859,117	18,364,306	797,177	12,252,564	1,021,254
Timber—						
Dressed N.E.I. ...sup. ft.	770,865	13,605	118,780	2,064	80,386	1,402
Logs not sawn	598,289	4,789	264,911	1,987	1,494,962	16,427
N.Z. White Pine	42,044,303	276,912	33,714,917	260,844	29,240,368	288,285
Undressed N.E.I.	73,527,824	600,641	59,915,099	551,319	50,658,453	757,555
Tobacco—						
Manufactured N.E.I. lb.	1,330,271	99,676	708,919	65,216	877,226	110,355
Unmanufactured	7,808,105	454,119	3,605,843	281,606	2,574,845	256,419
Cigars	82,128½	49,028	86,299	48,728	62,573	53,580
Cigarettes	81,268½	30,523	53,417	22,459	32,308	18,698
Tools of Trade, not being machines	...	241,304	...	187,951	...	406,841
Trimmings and Ornaments ... ..	...	167,372	...	178,918	...	355,292
Vehicles—						
Bicycles, &c., and parts ... ..	...	126,466	...	114,886	...	150,132
Motor Car Bodies ... ..	...	111,104	...	116,872	...	55,463
„ Chassis ... ..	...	425,430	...	435,808	...	581,783
Other Vehicles and parts ... ..	...	206,182	...	154,280	...	187,324
Wines—Sparkling ... gal.	9,753	20,807	5,108	11,598	5,378	8,881
Still, bottle	19,397	14,705	16,354	12,512	9,744	13,084
Still, bulk	7,614	2,580	3,823	1,858	3,197	1,416
Yarns ... ..	...	326,265	...	192,964	...	312,537
All other Articles ... ..	...	7,073,235	...	6,342,112	...	11,288,306
Total ... ..	...	32,742,297	...	28,447,579†	...	42,509,710†

* Preliminary figures subject to revision.

† Exclusive of gold.

No. 14.—Principal Articles Exported Oversea, Annually.

Article.	1916-17.		1917-18.		1918-19.*	
	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.
Ale and Beer—Bottled ... gal.	143,357	24,729	193,814	34,081	184,296	48,233
Bulk	111,105	10,110	25,339	2,106	19,756	2,139
Ammonia, Sulphate ... cwt.	68,808	73,203	84,050	156,101	128,373	231,430
Animals Living—						
Cattle, ordinary ... No.	128	2,759	107	1,975	606	4,394
Horses, ordinary	3,310	75,944	3,840	102,254	3,783	83,101
Sheep, ordinary	1,441	3,000	1,652	3,419	1,399	3,540
Sheep, breeding	277	5,477	522	6,177	1,452	11,203
Apparel and Attire ... ..	...	101,493	...	180,608	12,571	335,940
Biscuits lb.	3,227,998	49,504	18,751,712	296,972	10,677,090	257,647
Boats, Launches ... ..	...	4,357	...	7,942	...	9,517
Bones cwt.	9,881	8,416	7,160	9,651	13,066	14,277
Books—printed ... ..	...	35,306	...	22,136	...	28,299
Boots, Shoes—Leather ... ..	...	37,253	...	73,054	...	163,383
Bullion—						
Gold—Bar, Ingot, etc. ozs.	374	1,479	...	...	...	...
In Matte	32,024	126,607	...	...	...	...
Silver—Bar, Ingot, etc. ..	358,992	54,410	2,342,119	444,983	6,182,044	1,262,230
In Matte	2,178,451	313,990	903,095	162,488	...	...
Butter lb.	24,493,305	1,707,616	25,238,466	1,706,396	7,645,993	631,018
Cheese	1,847,267	72,483	1,553,075	66,974	387,219	27,791
Coal tons	646,547	415,549	355,955	259,588	528,060	387,379
Coke	34,709	52,238	37,299	54,663	34,111	50,486
Concentrates—						
Silver, Silver Lead ... cwt.	...	...	...	...	...	...
Tin ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...
Zinc	100,469	33,017	62,445	21,827	155,640	57,798
Other	656	8,456	1,504	15,371	1,338	12,149
Confectionery lb.	281,897	15,788	651,825	35,129	905,942	61,983
Copper—Ingots cwt.	676,181	4,072,056	493,632	2,836,295	296,260	2,092,752
In Matte	14,494	65,364	...	...	...	...
Drugs, Chemicals, n.e.i....	...	32,689	...	38,510	...	86,854
Fruits, Dried—						
Currants lb.	2,520,065	60,908	1,739,743	48,259	372,524	10,925
Raisins	485,551	14,384	424,739	12,051	296,755	6,341
Fruits, Fresh—						
Apples centals	7,414	7,245	2,601	3,428	2,886	3,601
Citrus	24,293	23,489	23,775	21,380	23,406	29,160
Furniture... ..	...	10,757	...	10,587	...	11,798
Glue Pieces, Sinews ... cwt.	17,636	12,987	7,522	9,852	2,775	4,908
Glycerine, unrefined ... lb.	423,427	12,976	697,479	21,841	807,912	30,518
Grain—						
Maize centals	25,223	10,849	55,827	22,116	43,648	19,482
Oats	36,694	14,988	9,021	4,211	6,613	6,020
Wheat	10,960,345	4,612,327	3,449,644	1,423,046	6,905,445	3,015,028
Bran, Pollard, Sharps... ..	123,020	40,745	109,213	38,854	101,661	37,628
Flour (Wheaten)	1,931,994	1,189,396	2,327,235	1,542,833	3,006,383	1,853,954
Hair—Other lb.	324,441	13,560	232,588	14,337	236,634	17,024
Hats, Caps, Bonnets ... ..	...	12,762	...	25,397	...	34,450
Hay and Chaff cwt.	2,859	774	2,203	731	4,820	1,570
Hoofs	3,026	2,212	2,696	2,610	4,383	5,465
Horns ... ..	...	2,826	...	11,815	...	17,920
Jams and Jellies... .. lb.	13,000,812	280,951	14,570,478	278,333	22,233,125	533,262
Jewellery ... ..	...	4,494	...	1,365	...	16,214
Precious Stones, unset	...	7,141	...	8,349	...	31,834
Lard lb.	561,659	17,735	718,712	27,022	2,467,332	87,955
Lead—In Matte cwt.	529,580	614,072	297,420	372,718	...	...
Pig	1,604,677	2,385,305	1,681,966	2,500,364	1,825,906	2,546,463
Sheet and Piping	12,714	22,006	17,624	32,083	20,170	38,350
Leather ... ..	...	623,220	...	489,876	...	1,159,536
Leather Manufactures, n.e.i.	...	12,554	...	18,417	...	13,738
Manures—Bonedust ... cwt.	35,507	12,295	17,049	7,145	38,262	19,259
Superphosphates	171,557	37,719	245,554	58,888	128,573	35,470

* Preliminary figures subject to revision.

No. 14.—Principal Articles Exported Oversea, Annually—continued.

Article.	1916-17.		1917-18.		1918-19.*	
	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.
		£		£		£
Meats—Bacon and Hams lb.	234,076	9,954	2,559,406	160,205	3,834,179	248,816
Preserved by C.P.—						
Beef lb.	10,453,222	227,147	4,084,003	95,689	2,392,695	58,863
Mutton lb.	{ 430,780 }	494,300	{ 134,957 }	172,871	{ 318,851 }	359,796
Lamb car.	{ 22,088,432 }		{ 7,492,484 }		{ 16,323,705 }	
... .. lb.	{ 210,022 }	207,111	{ 31,428 }	34,286	{ 85,861 }	79,125
... .. lb.	{ 7,939,660 }		{ 1,230,337 }		{ 3,066,012 }	
Rabbits and Hares... prs	10,718,922	760,331	8,978,377	670,269	3,956,919	221,632
Potted, Concentrated...		62,744		134,336		223,946
Preserved in tins, &c.... lb.	8,365,107	386,097	22,025,688	1,254,661	34,733,340	2,041,430
Medicines... ..		58,348		77,501		92,175
Metals—Antimony and						
Compounds		18,489		2,524		1,887
Metal Manufactures ...		175,957		171,539		526,438
Oils—Cocoanut cwt.	29,505	79,852	45,331	127,332	46,089	136,087
Onions	63,035	25,654	30,807	16,845	28,734	19,770
Ores—Copper			1,004	622		
Gold Ore, &c.						
Molybdenite	3,525	80,680	3,341	72,523	3,792	81,391
Silver and Silver-Lead						
Tin	24,665	147,165	1,013	7,359		
Wolfram	19,651	181,048	18,419	161,400	17,017	149,674
Other	24,618	37,466	10,345	59,873	16,216	62,207
Potatoes	52,583	21,762	39,241	15,259	41,769	22,331
Rubber Manufactures ...		65,314		77,665		62,861
Sausage Casings		62,393		36,437		130,984
Seeds		26,497		39,769		34,098
Skins and Hides—						
Hides (Cattle) No.	60,436	110,044	73,373	173,567	237,579	310,417
Hides (Horse)	175	166	16	20	540	459
Rabbit and Hare lb.	4,721,480	392,453	6,993,612	1,037,444	10,111,221	1,103,940
Sheep with Wool No.	700,620	208,075	566,051	166,769	1,375,165	450,299
Sheep without Wool... ..	1,509,432	109,817	475,574	43,282	486,607	61,780
Other		288,771		487,704		312,062
Soap—Toilet, Fancy ... lb.	152,354	9,964	217,594	17,270	284,011	27,353
Other	2,624,394	51,844	3,804,034	84,331	3,935,931	84,424
Specie—Bronze		16		65		25
Gold		2,755,593				
Silver		33,797		119,318		71,701
Stationery		17,502		21,067		33,573
Sugar—Cane cwt.	21,708	24,203	41,252	45,653	40,282	51,692
Tallow, unrefined	225,522	498,124	170,795	409,845	388,889	880,914
Timber—Dressed s. ft.	252,901	3,421	220,273	3,285	201,039	3,659
Undressed	11,776,202	134,654	11,381,023	170,839	8,931,774	140,728
Logs, not sawn	99,509	877	245,860	1,995	177,898	1,115
Tin Ingots... .. cwt.	47,368	448,158	68,222	997,724	61,075	942,601
Tobacco—Manufactured lb.	993,866	82,058	1,171,527	113,799	857,342	102,279
Cigarettes	60,992	18,724	3,351	30,252	162,553	49,359
Wines—Sparkling ... gal.	2,489	4,791	3,861	6,739	6,497	14,769
Still, bottle	29,179	16,997	62,161	34,718	74,107	54,495
Still, bulk	119,559	23,729	80,051	18,630	218,149	53,960
Wood, Articles—Casks, Shooks		5,016		1,090		1,931
Other		9,991		11,051		22,847
Wool—Greasy {	{ 480,416 }	10,408,056	{ 345,237 }	7,769,366	{ 715,429 }	13,432,246
Scoured and Washed {	{ 157,806,810 }		{ 113,453,002 }		{ 201,732,162 }	
... .. lb.	{ 98,450 }	2,191,868	{ 142,340 }	3,120,835	{ 206,014 }	4,387,148
... .. lb.	{ 23,969,500 }		{ 33,294,493 }		{ 48,302,750 }	
Tops lb.	4,869,452	1,204,570	4,571,357	1,510,799	5,646	918,659
All other Articles		2,422,770		4,494,457	2,879,275	5,352,364
Total		42,068,333		36,929,887†		48,871,726†

No. 15.—Imports Oversea during June, and during the twelve months,
July to June.

Article.	June.				July to June.			
	1919.		1918.		1918-19.		1917-18.	
	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.
		£		£		£		£
Ale, Beer—Bottled... gal.	2,000	807	9,844	3,573	34,793	13,597	49,901	15,783
Bulk ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Apparel and Attire... ..	...	94,813	...	75,599	...	964,751	...	758,183
Socks and Stockings ... ..	...	70,872	...	38,688	...	744,711	...	333,202
Bags and Sacks—Bran, Chaff, &c. doz.	101,104	36,127	...	...	500,493	237,202	294,568	109,756
Corn and Flour ... ..	...	...	550	245	1,483,205	595,460	1,131,325	437,278
Woolpacks	37,761	100,926	13,850	3,250	1,739,603	643,829	885,250	159,201
Other	67	154	12	3	22,940	7,186	25,035	6,504
Bags, Purses, n.e.i....	...	4,030	...	5,575	...	58,367	...	67,712
Blankets and Blanketing ... ..	...	292	...	57	...	16,210	...	5,977
Books (printed), &c. ... ..	...	18,371	...	17,695	...	286,634	...	225,623
Boots and Shoes ... ..	...	8,876	...	8,755	...	124,346	...	130,812
Bullion—Gold—Bar, ingot, &c. oz.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Silver	32	6	8,040	9,672	309,588	77,078	432,156	92,925
Canvas and Duck ... ..	...	34,725	...	17,467	...	312,964	...	158,624
Carpets and Carpeting ... ..	...	12,575	...	20,730	...	258,800	...	176,221
Cement (Portland) cwt.	...	...	14	2	...	8	14	2
Clocks and Watches ... ..	...	14,110	...	8,929	...	156,497	...	90,366
Cocoa and Chocolate ... lb.	198,020	10,706	196,593	7,546	3,321,155	133,012	1,855,033	76,424
Confectionery, n.e.i.	1,323	98	2,615	399	9,370	778	179,534	11,402
Copper, Pipes and Tubes (plain) cwt.	142	1,144	15	158	1,512	19,559	596	7,719
Copra	96,481	146,112	26,602	36,150	618,066	794,560	512,067	646,417
Cordage & Twines—Sewing Silks, &c...	...	38,906	...	22,776	...	372,274	...	318,268
Counterpanes, Table Covers, Cosies, Cushions, &c. ... ..	...	16,555	...	17,762	...	233,810	...	165,491
Cutlery, n.e.i. ... ..	...	17,187	...	12,003	...	186,499	...	135,423
Drugs and Chemicals—								
Cream of Tartar cwt.	934	14,934	1,128	17,708	14,565	267,996	14,020	181,654
Earthenware, &c. ... ..	...	8,715	...	10,789	...	98,456	...	76,735
Electrical Articles—Cable and Wire, covered ... cwt.	6,826	48,232	1,675	20,077	42,514	330,217	11,616	116,511
Fancy Goods ... ..	...	15,534	...	17,786	...	211,680	...	153,623
Fish—Preserved in tins, &c. lb.	773,763	34,128	669,510	30,708	4,021,272	209,958	9,343,772	458,914
Floor Cloths and Coverings ... ..	...	5,842	...	3,999	...	221,897	...	171,278
Fruits, fresh—Apples cntl.	...	...	...	...	7,576	472	17,230	20,606
Bananas	8,067	9,446	3,904	2,769	58,902	45,964	124,280	78,664
Other	201	114	13	11	444	435	1,896	1,758
Furniture ... ..	...	3,632	...	1,826	...	27,834	...	16,788
Gloves ... ..	...	10,613	...	16,564	...	166,754	...	121,551
Grain—Maize cntl.	15,349	8,868	886	392	47,218	26,419	1,868	873
Oats ... ..	...	...	32	15	14,121	8,431	235	158
Rice	59,097	67,769	71,176	35,055	125,640	123,642	474,259	266,550
Hats and Caps ... ..	...	7,035	...	15,009	...	100,464	...	125,977
Hessians ... ..	...	33,289	...	...	...	750,945	...	181,999
Instruments—Kinematographs, &c. ... ..	...	70	...	...	...	7,495	...	4,686
Pianos No.	275	8,095	268	8,843	3,493	150,874	5,254	154,051
Parts ... ..	...	5,001	...	3,205	...	65,534	...	42,102
Iron and Steel—								
Bar, Rod, Angle, Tee ... cwt.	3,175	3,065	4,422	5,189	87,754	145,588	87,969	124,231
Girders, Beams, &c.	1,141	3,800	416	528	24,515	33,246	16,008	18,434
Pig	110	431	13	87	7,873	4,788	18,428	11,831
Plate and Sheet—Galvanised	61,399	126,960	14,857	38,553	222,464	558,404	99,785	227,826
Not galvanised	60,670	64,336	8,849	13,565	233,305	324,877	44,567	62,422
Jewellery ... ..	...	6,551	...	5,955	...	58,053	...	67,930
Precious Stones, unset ... ..	...	6,566	...	41,583	...	218,399	...	215,235
Leather ... ..	...	22,000	...	33,121	...	171,953	...	119,001
Machines and Machinery—								
Agricultural ... ..	...	36,570	...	12,703	...	276,388	...	210,595
Electrical ... ..	...	73,647	...	23,447	...	519,194	...	273,287
Engines ... ..	...	13,660	...	6,779	...	104,894	...	70,942
Mining ... ..	...	880	...	6,203	...	42,148	...	29,618
Motive Power ... ..	...	6,388	...	4,137	...	98,957	...	91,520
Sewing ... ..	...	11,314	...	6,631	...	181,799	...	107,765
Other ... ..	...	77,140	...	45,414	...	935,799	...	667,661

No. 15.—Imports Oversea during June, and during the twelve months,
July to June—*continued.*

Article.	June.				July to June.			
	1919.		1918.		1918-19.		1917-18.	
	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.
Matches gross boxes	30,369	£ 27,847	68,350	£ 11,969	773,708	185,328	583,970	84,079
Medicines ... ..	...	11,044	...	22,853	...	163,661	...	204,820
Metals, Manufactures—Pipes and Tubes ... ..	...	6,514	...	6,588	...	279,922	...	195,633
Wire ... ..	...	16,341	...	20,525	...	205,542	...	263,335
Wire Netting ... ..	...	519	...	594	...	7,079	...	598
Miscellaneous ... ..	...	120,431	...	47,601	...	1,330,804	...	419,869
Oils in Bulk—								
Petroleum Spirit ... gal.	1,553,929	142,108	136,008	10,294	10,986,649	592,517	6,682,609	514,803
Kerosene	547,608	50,684	394,917	17,626	4,732,432	212,489	5,009,976	161,470
Lubricating (Mineral) ...	346,873	36,307	448,161	40,665	3,716,947	441,143	2,657,235	230,792
Paints and Colours (prepared) ... cwt.	889	3,743	517	1,411	6,532	28,423	11,160	28,310
Paper—Printing ... ..	...	66,660	...	13,010	...	661,817	...	398,426
Writing ... ..	...	27,771	...	13,387	...	274,386	...	139,352
Piece Goods—Cotton ... ..	...	432,661	...	384,709	{ ...	4,839,654	{ ...	2,715,666
Linen ... ..	...	9,660	...	...	{ ...	153,151	{ ...	...
Flannels ... ..	...	284	...	32	...	4,062	...	7,034
Horsehair Cloth ... ..	...	4,741	...	1,527	...	51,326	...	15,556
Rubbered Waterproof ...	...	4,122	...	...	...	56,871	...	21,717
Silk ... ..	...	79,189	...	130,678	...	1,356,432	...	1,043,899
Velvets, Velveteens ... ..	...	26,393	...	50,071	...	428,368	...	402,719
Woollens ... ..	...	98,245	...	34,800	...	995,879	...	806,628
N.E.I. ... ..	...	12,124	...	15,835	...	318,718	...	118,201
Other ... ..	...	7,811	...	9,928	...	153,204	...	125,992
Rails, Fishplates, &c. ...	...	688	...	...	...	697	...	671
Rubber Manufactures ...	...	1,082	...	48,052	...	129,221	...	438,394
Specie—Bronze ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	60
Gold ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Silver ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	20,560	...	46,422
Spirits—Brandy, Bottled ... gal.	220	545	800	1,736	2,936	5,555	7,408	10,119
Brandy, Bulk ... ..	...	...	5,838	3,741	10,936	16,274	28,509	22,115
Gin—British	376	541	299	203	8,013	10,471	16,706	11,388
Hollands, Geneva ... ..	...	...	755	666	1,964	1,724	5,985	3,187
Schnapps	7,800	8,580	6,035	2,508	9,562	10,639	21,621	9,423
Rum, Bottled ... ..	...	...	...	...	92	107	...	...
Rum, Bulk	4,428	2,577	3,027	2,128	12,283	9,801	29,004	13,038
Whisky, Bottled	44	495	354	326	38,326	12,386	18,013	14,640
Whisky, Bulk	36,521	36,819	46,353	34,551	474,573	551,190	564,843	465,476
Stationery ... ..	...	22,092	...	10,401	...	204,028	...	125,699
Sugar—Cane cwt.	28,114	28,001	11,675	11,265	186,435	183,161	278,719	207,014
Tea lb.	1,106,008	42,146	104,763	6,875	12,252,564	1,021,254	18,516,306	797,127
Timber—Dressed, n.e.i. sup. ft.	51,834	691	...	...	80,386	1,402	101,486	1,517
Logs, not sawn	279	38	37,991	708	1,494,962	16,427	264,911	1,987
N.Z. White Pine	4,212,208	46,386	3,413,085	25,725	29,240,368	288,285	32,070,829	247,647
Undressed, n.e.i.	2,583,190	32,588	7,453,881	74,674	59,658,453	757,555	77,891,225	570,046
Tobacco—Manufactured, n.e.i. lb.	76,190	10,949	448,915	33,826	877,226	110,355	82,5217	59,366
Unmanufactured	61,989	6,325	54,737	3,100	2,574,845	256,419	2,303,472	182,099
Cigars	9,572	7,424	13,893	7,805	62,573	53,580	85,447	48,379
Cigarettes	1,086	812	6,007	2,842	32,308	18,698	53,470	22,460
Tools of Trade ... ..	...	52,217	...	13,017	...	406,841	...	185,273
Trimmings and Ornaments ...	...	36,587	...	21,259	...	355,292	...	178,111
Vehicles, Bicycles, &c., and parts	...	15,841	...	9,693	...	150,132	...	114,399
Motor Car Bodies ... ..	...	2,891	...	2,845	...	55,463	...	106,622
Motor Car Chassis ... ..	...	42,384	...	12,951	...	581,783	...	402,641
Other Vehicles and parts ...	...	14,885	...	4,332	...	187,324	...	162,402
Wines—Sparkling gal.	29	10	76	107	5,378	8,881	4,910	11,500
Still, bottled	438	545	1,315	707	9,744	13,084	16,167	12,434
Still, bulk	308	128	1,312	581	3,197	1,416	4,717	2,370
Yarns ... ..	...	44,432	...	11,435	...	312,537	...	181,302
All other Articles ... ..	...	1,137,704	...	652,849	...	11,288,306	...	7,211,697
Total £	...	4,143,619	...	2,570,696	...	42,509,710	...	28,368,013

**No. 16.—Exports Oversea during June, and during the twelve months,
July to June.**

Article ¹	June.				July to June.			
	1919.		1918.		1918-19.		1917-18.	
	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.
		£		£		£		£
Ale, Beer—Bottled... gal.	6,700	1,735	8,434	1,338	184,296	48,233	193,814	34,081
Bulk	114	15	2,123	341	19,756	2,139	25,339	2,166
Ammonia—Sulphate ... cwt.	4,000	5,110	5,000	7,169	128,373	231,430	84,050	156,101
Animals, Living—								
Cattle, Ordinary ... No.	...	...	60	401	606	4,394	107	1,975
Horses, Ordinary ... "	4	368	13	355	3,783	83,101	3,840	102,204
Sheep, Ordinary ... "	...	...	146	363	1,399	3,540	1,664	3,539
Sheep, Breeding ... "	21	530	107	1,063	1,452	11,203	522	6,957
Apparel and Attire... "	12,571	15,596	...	8,167	12,571	335,940	...	180,608
Biscuits lb.	353,505	7,973	1,302,823	26,010	10,677,090	257,647	18,053,346	294,494
Boats, Launches, &c. ...	...	53	...	781	...	9,517	...	7,942
Bones cwt.	1,922	1,549	1,858	1,503	13,066	14,277	7,160	9,651
Books (Printed) ... ..	...	2,209	...	2,403	...	28,299	...	22,136
Boots, Shoes—Leather ...	...	4,520	...	10,278	...	163,383	...	73,034
Bullion—								
Gold—Bar, Ingot, &c. ... oz.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
In Matte ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Silver—Bar, Ingot, &c. ... "	138,946	29,806	498,187	103,908	6,182,044	1,262,230	2,342,110	444,983
In Matte lb.	...	...	...	...	...	...	903,095	162,468
Butter "	299,796	25,555	373,510	28,017	7,645,993	631,018	18,338,406	1,706,396
Cheese "	32,891	2,777	32,373	2,690	387,219	27,791	1,553,075	66,974
Coal tons	29,015	24,455	31,289	23,102	528,060	387,379	349,490	255,710
Coke "	2,694	4,353	2,710	3,799	34,111	50,486	29,719	54,671
Concentrates—								
Silver, Silver-Lead ... cwt.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Tin ... .. "	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Zinc ... .. "	...	...	...	...	155,640	57,798	62,445	21,827
Other "	82	836	70	720	1,338	12,149	1,504	15,373
Confectionery lb.	45,730	3,725	50,573	3,862	905,942	61,983	649,825	35,129
Copper—Ingots cwt.	47,120	192,887	24,904	135,021	296,260	2,092,752	493,632	2,836,295
In Matte ... .. "	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Drugs, Chemicals, n.e.i. ...	...	3,771	...	3,131	...	86,854	...	38,510
Fruits, Dried—Currants ... lb.	173,820	4,392	325,660	10,476	372,524	10,925	1,861,743	47,372
Raisins "	687	26	127,187	3,989	296,755	6,341	424,739	12,051
Fruits, Fresh—Apples ... cntl.	258	415	162	154	2,886	3,601	2,907	3,428
Citrus "	202	287	1,911	2,029	23,406	29,160	23,775	21,380
Furniture "	...	483	...	955	...	11,798	...	10,587
Glue Pieces, Sinews ... cwt.	405	409	692	977	2,775	4,908	7,522	9,852
Glycerine, unrefined ... lb.	...	...	...	...	807,912	30,518	697,479	21,841
Grain—Maize cntl.	56	44	1,915	900	43,648	19,482	55,827	26,816
Oats "	18	12	116	68	6,613	6,020	9,021	4,211
Wheat "	1,184,253	489,113	562,158	231,765	6,905,445	3,015,028	3,429,644	1,423,046
Bran, Pollard, Sharps ... "	1,342	539	7,865	2,137	101,661	37,628	109,113	38,854
Flour (Wheaten)	293,995	204,884	67,529	47,333	3,006,383	1,853,954	2,259,648	1,411,809
Hair lb.	5,146	666	4,938	386	236,634	17,024	332,588	14,337
Hats, Caps, Bonnets ...	...	6,325	...	2,176	...	34,450	...	25,341
Hay and Chaff cwt.	47	24	137	53	4,820	1,570	2,203	731
Hoofs "	243	232	199	196	4,383	5,465	2,906	2,610
Horns "	...	756	...	608	...	17,920	...	11,815
Jams and Jellies lb.	2,072,735	58,142	1,247,979	23,868	22,233,125	533,262	14,570,478	278,333
Jewellery "	...	5,156	...	325	...	16,214	...	1,365
Precious Stones, unset ...	...	7,180	...	764	...	31,834	...	8,349
Lard lb.	45,215	1,805	108,633	3,966	2,467,332	87,955	718,712	27,022
Lead—In Matte cwt.	...	...	...	...	...	...	297,420	372,718
Pig "	144,598	187,506	139,309	205,237	1,825,906	2,546,463	1,681,966	2,500,364
Sheet and Piping	1,743	3,150	1,850	3,490	20,170	38,350	16,624	32,083
Leather "	...	42,550	...	28,974	...	1,159,536	...	489,876
Leather Manufactures, n.e.i. ...	...	1,062	...	1,408	...	13,738	...	18,417
Manures—Bonedust ... cwt.	...	...	2,200	924	38,262	19,259	17,049	7,145
Superphosphates ... ..	...	...	6,040	1,510	128,573	35,470	245,554	58,888

No. 16.—Exports Oversea during June, and during the twelve months,
July to June—*continued.*

Article.	June.				July to June.			
	1919.		1918.		1918-19.		1917-18.	
	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.
		£		£		£		£
Meats—Bacon, Hams ... lb.	111,264	8,619	1,052,400	68,598	3,834,179	248,816	2,559,406	160,205
Preserved by C.P.—Beef ...	130,786	3,758	23,126	566	2,392,695	58,863	4,085,443	95,996
Mutton ... car.	2,722	3,626	2,525	3,356	318,851	359,796	134,897	172,871
Lamb ... lb.	131,330		122,759		16,323,705		7,488,484	
Rabbits, Hares ... pr.	1,753	1,620	1,944	2,055	85,861	79,125	31,428	34,286
Potted, Concentrated ... lb.	54,673		63,906		3,066,012		1,230,137	
Preserved in tins, &c. ... lb.	3,507	292	24,882	1,903	3,956,919	221,632	8,438,377	587,514
Medicines ...	...	6,934	...	28,435	...	223,946	...	122,383
Metals—	...	4,750	...	7,456	...	92,175	...	77,501
Antimony and Compounds ...	...	162	...	8	...	1,837	...	2,524
Metal Manufactures ...	...	69,418	...	13,018	...	526,438	...	171,539
Oils in bulk—Cocoanut ... cwt.	1	3	4,250	13,112	46,089	136,087	45,410	127,332
Onions ...	484	388	982	770	28,734	19,770	29,803	16,223
Ores—Copper ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,004	622
Gold Ore, &c. ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Molybdenite ...	...	...	294	6,530	3,792	81,391	3,341	72,523
Silver, Silver-Lead ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Tin ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,213	7,359
Wolfram ...	...	...	607	5,288	17,017	149,674	18,419	161,400
Other ...	200	34	1,193	9,539	16,216	62,207	9,449	59,852
Potatoes ...	1,877	1,504	9,667	3,303	41,769	22,331	39,241	15,259
Rubber Manufactures, n.e.i. ...	...	2,676	...	14,390	...	62,861	...	77,665
Sausage Casings ...	...	8,916	...	5,879	...	130,984	...	34,459
Seeds ...	...	7,124	...	2,996	...	34,098	...	29,515
Skins and Hides—								
Hides (Cattle) ... No.	1,950	3,337	4,611	11,846	237,579	310,417	78,213	173,567
Hides (Horse) ...	...	...	...	...	540	459	16	20
Rabbit, Hare ... lb.	646,704	72,507	512,529	57,981	10,111,221	1,103,940	6,993,612	1,037,444
Sheep, with Wool ... No.	223,400	64,634	71,207	23,879	1,375,165	450,299	566,051	166,769
Sheep, without Wool ...	22,632	1,600	77,952	9,454	486,607	61,780	475,474	43,282
Other ...	...	37,434	...	10,366	...	312,062	...	487,704
Soap—Toilet, Fancy ... lb.	14,809	1,601	42,080	3,566	284,011	27,353	263,497	18,098
Other ...	285,389	4,709	555,794	13,079	3,935,931	84,424	3,758,131	83,500
Specie—Bronze ...	...	26	...	...	...	25	...	65
Gold ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Silver ...	...	550	...	22,920	...	71,701	...	119,318
Stationery ...	...	2,415	...	2,385	...	33,573	...	21,067
Sugar—Cane ... cwt.	1,972	2,591	4,551	4,988	40,282	51,692	41,252	45,653
Tallow, unrefined ...	4,690	15,459	7,225	18,693	388,889	880,914	170,795	409,845
Timber—Dressed ... s. ft.	2,245	37	17,880	316	201,039	3,659	220,273	3,285
Undressed ...	399,595	6,087	1,125,236	16,428	8,931,794	140,728	10,381,023	170,839
Logs, not sawn ...	154,988	778	25,200	170	177,808	1,115	241,640	1,995
Tin Ingots ... cwt.	4,552	50,591	...	...	61,075	942,601	63,997	915,362
Tobacco—Manufactured ... lb.	38,589	4,388	76,453	12,491	857,342	102,279	1,071,527	115,801
Cigarettes ...	1,396	476	3,876	1,319	162,553	49,359	87,351	30,252
Wines—Sparkling ... gal.	571	995	224	459	6,497	14,769	3,861	6,739
Still, in bottle ...	3,425	2,430	8,794	5,127	74,107	54,495	68,161	34,718
Still, in bulk ...	7,239	1,982	10,168	2,940	218,149	53,960	80,051	18,630
Wood Articles—Casks, Shooks ...	...	...	...	...	...	1,931	...	1,090
Other ...	...	294	...	779	...	22,847	...	11,051
Wool—Greasy ... {	11,792	292,377	11,492	297,758	715,429	13,432,246	297,425	776,366
Scoured and Washed ... {	3,809,913		3,836,241		201,732,162		81,553,022	
Wool Tops ... {	11,622	291,970	6,537	173,002	206,014	4,387,148	142,340	3,120,835
All Other Articles ... {	2,763,430		1,748,182		48,302,750		33,294,403	
Wool Tops ... {	778	111,994	926	137,422	5,046	918,659	10,846	1,510,799
All Other Articles ... {	347,190		397,074		2,879,275		4,570,357	
Total ...	£	2,775,523	2,720,494	48,871,726	...	36,952,352	...	...

No. 17.—Trade with Principal Countries.

Country.	1890.	1900.	1910.	1914-15.	1915-16.	1916-17.	1917-18.
Imports.							
Australian States	£ 10,049,648	£ 10,164,080	£ 12,623,428*	£ ‡	£ ‡	£ ‡	£ ‡
Oversea—							
United Kingdom	8,628,007	9,923,117	14,385,633	15,367,746	15,608,510	15,722,209	10,514,811
Canada...	18,784	114,321	356,593	944,518	981,845	887,378	1,077,359
Fiji ...	99,853	60,831	161,894	247,650	594,632	1,038,521	337,862
Hong Kong ...	271,730	67,928	95,450	151,710	200,879	198,899	293,784
India and Ceylon	239,070	601,741	1,135,359	1,631,131	2,021,610	2,023,349	2,403,834
New Zealand ...	932,073	1,348,605	1,180,011	1,151,271	1,702,753	1,452,899	940,435
South Africa ...	55	1,013	20,312	25,550	401,026	89,377	67,887
Straits Settlements	27,148	40,391	132,245	231,731	305,992	372,184	522,167
Other British ...	6,685	118,929	158,494	188,324	225,901	222,945	278,767
Belgium ...	130,819	147,661	555,298	263,510	1,629	7,955	382
China ...	241,840	190,456	38,720	53,918	116,838	57,453	55,059
France ...	117,871	270,084	166,986	99,841	130,721	64,996	45,074
Germany ...	639,475	1,105,664	1,288,574	497,372	19,549	20,038	8,850
Italy ...	23,901	92,732	129,246	200,666	333,774	179,434	78,866
Japan ...	22,040	122,041	335,320	660,389	1,274,348	1,451,040	2,566,864
New Caledonia	83,920	28,509	39,242	37,411	43,569	34,759	92,278
Philippine Islands	4,414	49,240	37,492	41,841	73,638	31,507	124,392
South Sea Islands	40,214	107,488	164,530	\$	\$	\$	\$
United States ...	859,102	2,557,961	2,150,953	4,320,904	7,374,260	7,367,597	8,003,821
Other Foreign...	178,295	448,279	706,641	1,207,760	1,968,224	1,519,757	1,035,087
Total, Oversea	12,565,356	17,396,991	23,238,993	27,323,243	33,379,698	32,742,297	28,447,579**
Total, Imports	22,615,004	27,561,071	...	...	...	...	...
Exports.							
Australian States	£ 10,990,593	£ 9,979,190	£ 10,307,115†	£ ‡	£ ‡	£ ‡	£ ‡
Oversea—							
United Kingdom	6,623,431	8,273,272	13,318,099	16,258,252	15,320,054	23,906,117	17,233,042
Canada ...	10	66,403	76,866	362,016	650,264	6,250,388	326,787
Fiji ...	98,951	183,579	410,926	379,326	289,836	377,846	547,375
Hong Kong ...	255,050	218,986	414,042	383,601	252,759	114,490	165,798
India and Ceylon	257,360	174,296	187,128	355,307	573,335	955,049	2,460,642
New Zealand ...	294,138	826,662	1,319,358	1,767,086	2,421,292	1,988,553	2,120,683
South Africa ...	1,014	755,487	289,812	753,499	128,016	154,510	373,357
Straits Settlements	34,347	39,898	246,513	211,588	263,623	351,474	415,957
Other British ...	27,469	49,586	136,742	368,113	497,660	1,907,054	1,860,905
Belgium ...	1,011,846	620,349	2,970,187	203,527	420	...	...
China ...	1,037	68,004	64,192	50,546	67,220	64,990	118,256
France ...	233,924	1,024,300	4,232,137	610,879	1,498,631	1,407,457	234,478
Germany ...	404,280	844,504	4,934,474	150,619	...	...	...
Italy ...	24,498	61,132	234,419	570,572	1,934,012	1,276,780	208,412
Japan ...	7,156	133,989	524,598	1,573,184	2,354,584	2,663,270	2,727,331
New Caledonia	193,396	179,761	115,458	158,794	179,377	251,495	346,176
Philippine Islands	16,410	88,043	226,134	129,591	52,508	124,663	495,120
South Sea Islands	45,290	126,834	214,651	\$	\$	\$	\$
United States ...	1,300,375	3,981,242	865,326	2,721,910	13,132,683	5,976,345	5,739,808
Other Foreign...	225,362	468,999	1,254,389	1,098,615	1,359,142	2,520,343	1,555,360
Total, Oversea	11,055,344	18,185,326	32,035,451	28,107,025	40,975,416	50,290,824	36,929,487**
Total, Exports	22,045,937	28,164,516	...	...	...	...	...

*Imports, 1st January to 13th September inclusive. † Exports, 1st January to 13th September inclusive. ‡ Not available.
 § Included in "Other Foreign." ** Exclusive of Gold.

No. 18.—Principal Articles Imported at Sydney during June, 1919.

(Compiled from returns supplied by Sydney Harbour Trust.)

Article.	Oversea.*		Interstate.			State.	
	Quantity.	Measure- ment.	Quantity.	Measure- ment.	Value.	Quantity.	Measure- ment.
					£		
Agricultural Implements—tons..	253	533	I	I	74	I	5
Ale, Beer, and Stout ... ..	...	37	...	...	...	...	26
Animals—Horses ... No.	2	...	2	...	550	7	...
Horned Cattle ... ..	...	...	18	...	900	536	...
Calves ... ..	...	...	14	...	140	384	...
Pigs ... ..	...	...	26	...	91	2,471	...
Bacon and Hams tons	...	...	...	76	5,522	...	399
Bananas bchs.	15,008	...	...	...	...	63	...
" cases	5,113	...	135	...	61	15,323	...
Boots, Shoes, &c. tons	...	58	...	3	341	...	I
Bullion—Gold and Silver	...	...	24	...	12,000	...	...
Butter tons	...	I	...	12	1,546	...	1,680
Candles, tapers, night-lights ...	...	5	...	...	...	...	141
Cement tons	I	19	...	...	...	...	...
Chaff ... ..	...	...	793	...	5,300	...	...
Cheese ... ..	...	...	...	84	5,420	146	28
Coal	123	...	77	...	69	30,111	...
" (bunker) ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	18,835	...
Confectionery ... ..	...	8	...	3	101	...	2
Cordage, rope, twine, &c. tons	3	178	I	2	141	...	2
Drapery	5	3,239	...	25	2,820	...	49
Drugs, Medicines, Chemicals..	263	521	28	22	1,892	14	2
Earthenware tons	3	308	I	...	12	...	4
Eggs (in shell) ... ..	...	...	...	54	1,335	...	39
Fish, fresh or frozen ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	174	472
Oysters, fresh or other ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	29
Flour tons	...	...	...	...	...	...	I
Fruit, fresh cases	109	...	102,755	...	38,971	11,016	...
Furniture tons	...	15	...	125	1,409	...	I
Glass and Glassware	523	681	I	71	347	I	59
Grain—Maize	714	...	28	...	385	1,887	...
Oats ... ..	...	...	698	...	8,735	...	...
Hardware	1,365	1,179	13	36	2,867	13	14
Hay ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	334	...
Hides and Skins... ..	3	454	...	1,228	126,859	I	221
Iron—Galvanized	2,454	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pig ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Jams and Jellies ... ..	...	3	...	5	521	...	I
Leatherware	I	63	...	11	2,481	...	10
Machinery and Machines ...	185	1,164	35	351	8,823	58	22
Matches and Match-making Materials..	I	182	...	...	...	...	2
Milk and Cream, preserved ...	...	...	...	452	15,371	...	6
Molasses and Syrup tons	87	...	41	12	521	222	2
Melons, Pumpkins, Squashes No.	...	...	...	...	...	37,350	...
Oilmen's Stores tons	30	473	...	45	4,650	8	34
Onions	I	I	176	...	2,458	...	...
Potatoes	I	...	2,130	...	29,074	14	...
Saddlery	17	37	...	I	55	...	I
Soap	I	68	...	19	618	236	48
Specie tons	...	...	...	I	5,475	...	...
Spirits—Brandy... ..	...	...	...	42	9,771	...	...
Gin ... ..	...	112	...	...	...	...	I
Rum ... ..	...	I	...	31	4,741	...	I
Whisky... ..	...	11	...	7	862	...	I
Sugar	26	...	601	...	16,404	3	...
Tea ... ..	...	945	...	...	...	...	8
Timber—Sawn ... sup. ft. }	4,799,805	...	1,659,308	...	16,995	2,085,391	...
Rough ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Tobacco, Cigars, &c. tons	25	707	...	5	884	...	2
Vegetables, fresh ... ..	...	...	69	561	5,113	86	...
Waters, Cordials, &c. ... ..	...	34	...	...	...	...	I
Wines ... ..	...	17	...	203	7,329	...	2
Woodenware ... ..	...	260	...	22	299	...	8
Wool—Bales and Butts... No.	...	...	4,816	...	92,704	107	...
Bags ... ..	...	...	2	...	6	25	...
Woollens... .. tons	...	173	...	12	2,598	...	...
All other Articles	22,272	19,542	6,718	2,116	148,217	2,377	3,272
Total ... ..	...	31,029	...	5,638	593,858	...	6,597

* The total Oversea imports were valued at £4,042,738.

No. 19.—Shipping—all Ports.

(Compiled from Returns supplied by Customs Department.)

Year.	Entered.		Cleared.		Tonnage Entered.		Tonnage Cleared.	
	Vessels.	Tonnage.	Vessels.	Tonnage.	Steam.	Sailing.	Steam.	Sailing.
1907	3,238	6,070,953	3,205	6,009,282	5,257,019	813,934	5,228,469	780,813
1908	3,196	6,298,784	3,219	6,303,125	5,822,060	476,724	5,737,747	565,378
1909	2,861	5,870,034	2,767	5,689,426	5,388,231	481,803	5,254,376	435,050
1910	2,937	6,290,119	3,035	6,471,855	5,892,049	398,070	6,047,832	424,023
1911	3,127	6,822,135	3,146	6,833,782	6,427,442	394,693	6,424,865	408,917
1912	3,354	7,490,046	3,346	7,453,005	7,010,420	479,626	6,975,678	477,327
1913	3,393	8,117,501	3,375	8,071,101	7,800,389	317,112	7,744,422	326,679
Jan.—June, 1914	1,799	4,393,002	1,765	4,318,636	4,147,905	245,097	4,119,514	199,122
1914-15	3,000	7,051,503	3,059	7,219,914	6,892,390	159,113	7,004,886	215,028
1915-16	3,045	6,552,235	3,062	6,574,582	6,346,795	205,440	6,360,428	214,154
1916-17	2,602	5,803,451	2,613	5,802,683	5,667,671	135,780	5,670,665	132,018
1917-18	2,226	4,407,399	2,235	4,417,390	4,263,906	143,493	4,268,226	149,164
1918-19	2,278	4,342,689	2,284	4,285,103	4,211,210	131,479	4,188,610	96,493
June, 1919	131	326,901	92	245,467	321,295	5,606	227,754	17,713
„ 1918	193	318,346	208	342,764	305,959	12,387	336,825	5,939

NOTE.—The shipping recorded in the above table is “Oversea” and “Interstate” only.

No. 20.—Shipping entered—Port of Sydney.

(Compiled from Returns supplied by Sydney Harbour Trust.)

Year.	Description of Vessels.	Number of Vessels.			Net Tonnage.		
		Oversea and Interstate.	State.	Total.	Oversea and Interstate.	State.	Total.
1908	Steam ...	2,460	6,469	8,929	5,205,883	1,596,569	6,802,452
	Sailing ...	190	904	1,094	169,339	135,783	305,122
1909	Steam ...	2,314	5,713	8,027	5,148,293	1,483,635	6,631,928
	Sailing ...	193	724	917	171,638	97,491	269,129
1910	Steam ...	2,292	5,700	7,992	5,398,910	1,474,145	6,873,055
	Sailing ...	173	679	852	174,789	89,464	264,253
1911	Steam ...	2,408	6,138	8,546	5,903,713	1,626,209	7,529,922
	Sailing ...	168	502	670	159,031	80,087	239,118
1912	Steam ...	2,747	6,417	9,164	6,580,862	1,738,343	8,319,205
	Sailing ...	110	401	511	120,072	54,782	174,854
1913	Steam ...	2,696	6,718	9,414	7,063,444	1,790,740	8,854,184
	Sailing ...	107	401	508	109,725	54,876	164,601
Jan.—June, 1914	Steam ...	1,371	3,278	4,649	3,722,136	881,795	4,603,931
	Sailing ...	65	167	232	80,675	25,971	106,646
1914-15	Steam ...	2,452	6,640	9,092	6,290,718	1,761,927	8,052,645
	Sailing ...	70	394	464	67,980	43,703	111,688
1915-16	Steam ...	2,321	6,571	8,892	5,589,677	1,762,430	7,352,107
	Sailing ...	152	241	393	136,511	46,659	183,170
1916-17	Steam ...	2,026	6,100	8,126	5,000,450	1,576,907	6,577,357
	Sailing ...	127	200	327	107,841	40,630	148,471
1917-18	Steam ...	1,738	5,468	7,206	3,809,666	1,341,710	5,151,376
	Sailing ...	126	206	332	130,568	38,456	169,024
1918-19	Steam ...	1,791	5,412	7,203	3,712,216	1,271,916	4,984,132
	Sailing ...	131	165	296	134,699	33,835	168,534
June, 1919	Steam ...	107	148	255	298,370	37,855	336,225
	Sailing ...	5	7	12	4,401	246	4,647
„ 1918	Steam ...	156	505	661	273,289	114,583	387,872
	Sailing ...	15	16	31	16,630	3,617	20,247

NOTE.—“Oversea and Interstate” shipping includes the trips and tonnages of vessels which proceed to Newcastle for bunker coal, which return to Sydney, but which do not then report at the Customs.

No. 21.—State Revenue (June), and twelve months (July to June).

(Advances recovered are not included.)

Source of Revenue.	June.		Increase or Decrease (-)	July to June.		Increase or Decrease (-)
	1918.	1919.		1917-18.	1918-19.	
Governmental—	£	£	£	£	£	£
Commonwealth Returns ...	192,968	184,355	(-) 8,613	2,317,783	2,366,139	48,356
Taxation (by State) ...	1,907,948	2,033,188	125,240	3,967,102	4,190,555	223,453
Public Lands ...	127,466	113,340	(-) 14,126	1,816,247	1,806,033	(-) 10,214
All other sources ...	369,295	297,773	(-) 71,522	1,147,283	1,199,059	51,776
Gross Total ...	2,597,677	2,628,656	30,979	9,248,415	9,561,786	313,371
Refunds ...	3,258	4,487	1,229	137,266	145,440	8,180
Net Total ...	2,594,419	2,624,169	29,750	9,111,155	9,416,346	305,191
Business Undertakings by State—						
Railways and Tramways ...	1,009,439	1,084,466	75,027	10,916,028	12,319,301	1,403,273
Other ...	99,258	101,596	2,338	1,637,422	1,864,903	227,481
Gross Total ...	1,108,697	1,186,062	77,365	12,553,450	14,184,204	1,630,754
Refunds ...	8,071	19,881	11,810	97,155	147,913	50,758
Net Total ...	1,100,626	1,166,181	65,555	12,456,295	14,036,291	1,579,996
Net Revenue and Receipts proper	£ 3,695,045	3,790,350	95,305	21,567,450	23,452,637	1,885,187

No. 22.—State Expenditure (June), and twelve months (July to June).

(Transfers and Advances are not included.)

Distribution of Expenditure.	June.		Increase or Decrease (-)	July to June.		Increase or Decrease (-)
	1918.	1919.		1917-18.	1918-19.	
	£	£	£	£	£	£
Governmental ...	648,811	614,724	(-) 34,087	7,007,961	7,244,635	236,674
Business Undertakings ...	680,155	717,892	37,737	8,120,832	9,302,966	1,182,134
Interest ...	241,903	202,676	(-) 39,227	5,502,355	5,679,971	177,616
Total Expenditure	£ 1,570,869	1,535,292	(-) 35,577	20,631,148	22,227,572	1,596,424

No. 23.—Transactions on Consolidated Revenue Account, twelve months (July to June).

Particulars.	1917-18.	1918-19.
	£	£
Balance on 1st July ...	Dr. 483,138	Dr. 459,313
Revenue proper—Governmental ...	9,111,155*	9,416,346*
Business Undertakings ...	12,456,295*	14,036,291*
Other Receipts ...	116,390	40,513
Total Receipts ...	£ 21,683,840	23,493,150
Expenditure proper—Governmental ...	7,007,961†	7,244,635†
Business Undertakings ...	8,120,832†	9,302,966†
Interest ...	5,502,355	5,679,971
Bogan Scrub Clearing ...	6,819	6,833
Two-thirds Net-proceeds Sale—Crown Lands ...	369,781	369,769
Meat Supply for Imperial Uses Act ...	...	...
Transfer to Special Deposit Account, Forestry Revenue ..	33,487	47,353
Public Works Fund, Grant in aid ...	250,000	200,000
Wheat Acquisition Act ...	...	...
Other Payments ...	368,780	426,855
Total Payments ...	£ 21,660,015	23,278,382
Balance at 30th June	Dr. £459,313	Dr. £244,545

* As per Table No. 21.

† As per Table No. 22.

NOTE.—The total receipts in this table (No. 21), represent the gross transactions, including advances recovered, while the expenditure includes transfers to various funds, also temporary advances made. These items are not included in Tables Nos. 21 and 22, but they are necessary in order to ascertain the balances of the Consolidated Revenue Fund.

No. 24.—State Revenue—Comparison—Monthly.

Month.	1917-18.			1918-19.			Increase (+) Decrease (—)
	Governmental.	Business Under-takings.	Total.	Governmental.	Business Under-takings.	Total.	
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
July	525,573	831,945	1,357,518	598,273	1,029,352	1,627,625	(+) 270,107
August	581,910	671,620	1,253,530	581,505	1,106,144	1,687,649	(+) 434,119
September	482,139	762,452	1,244,591	544,389	1,166,663	1,711,052	(+) 466,461
October	532,550	1,090,385	1,622,935	577,635	1,339,194	1,916,829	(+) 293,894
November	513,201	1,073,624	1,586,825	524,532	1,194,909	1,719,441	(+) 132,616
December	647,437	1,097,038	1,744,475	596,128	1,246,072	1,842,200	(+) 97,723
January	672,333	1,129,828	1,802,161	634,742	1,168,406	1,803,148	(+) 987
February	521,885	1,042,582	1,564,467	580,589	1,080,432	1,661,021	(+) 96,554
March	567,256	1,089,466	1,656,722	637,382	1,245,741	1,883,123	(+) 226,401
April	553,060	1,344,717	1,897,777	565,557	1,123,581	1,689,138	(—) 208,639
May	919,391	1,222,013	2,141,404	951,445	1,169,616	2,121,061	(—) 20,343
June	2,594,419	1,100,626	3,695,045	2,624,169	1,166,181	3,790,350	(+) 95,305
Total (12 months) ..	9,111,154	12,456,296	21,567,450	9,416,346	14,036,291	23,452,637	(+) 1,885,187

No. 25.—State Expenditure—Comparison—Monthly.

Month.	1917-18.			1918-19.			Increase (+) Decrease (—)
	Governmental (including Interest and Sinking Fund).	Business Under-takings.	Total.	Governmental (including Interest and Sinking Fund).	Business Under-takings.	Total.	
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
July	919,511	737,549	1,657,060	924,930	807,420	1,732,350	(+) 75,290
August	916,274	724,447	1,640,721	973,229	747,198	1,720,427	(+) 79,706
September	1,122,699	334,774	1,457,473	972,588	691,171	1,663,759	(+) 206,286
October	1,721,598	606,811	2,328,409	1,867,466	780,198	2,647,664	(+) 319,255
November	809,532	700,554	1,510,086	837,682	765,631	1,603,313	(+) 93,227
December	676,223	677,880	1,354,103	723,557	803,579	1,527,136	(+) 173,033
January	996,930	810,328	1,807,258	979,373	694,196	1,673,569	(—) 133,689
February	860,467	703,673	1,564,140	1,195,574	752,195	1,947,769	(+) 383,629
March	1,137,700	644,183	1,781,883	949,028	791,775	1,740,803	(—) 41,080
April	1,695,938	731,632	2,427,570	1,790,225	830,329	2,620,554	(+) 192,984
May	762,730	768,846	1,531,576	893,554	921,382	1,814,936	(+) 283,360
June	890,714	680,155	1,570,869	817,400	717,892	1,535,292	(—) 35,577
Total (12 months) ..	12,510,316	8,120,832	20,631,148	12,924,606	9,302,966	22,227,572	(+) 1,596,424

No. 26.—Public Debt and Expenditure from Loans, 1908-18.

Year ended 30th June.	Expenditure from Loans during Year.					
	Public Debt at end of Year.	Reproductive Works.				Total.
		Railways and Tramways.	Water Supply and Sewerage (including Water Conservation).	Harbours and Rivers (including Docks, Resumptions, &c.).	Other Works and Services.	
	£	£	£	£	£	£
1908	87,635,826	1,363,314	370,819	138,561	92,635	1,965,329
1909	90,307,419	2,127,633	617,589	114,095	47,190	2,906,507
1910	92,525,095	2,471,284	578,111	158,732	38,513	3,246,640
1911	95,523,926	2,547,672	730,819	234,213	409,054	3,921,758
1912	100,052,635	3,448,127	1,344,211	413,998	284,767	5,491,103
1913	106,170,747	4,618,967	1,595,093	676,180	813,354	7,703,594
1914	116,695,031	5,714,964	1,942,497	862,927	606,456	9,126,844
1915	127,735,405	4,690,908	1,368,260	685,231	251,708	6,996,107
1916	130,514,018	4,983,632	1,535,364	1,005,291	648,817	8,173,104
1917	138,138,347	3,842,809	1,435,674	662,881	620,815	6,862,179
1918	*152,584,693	2,412,108	1,287,012	455,861	332,530	4,487,511

NOTE.—Redemptions of Loans are not included in the Expenditure.

1918 ... £10,675,000, being portion of loans maturing in September, 1918.

No. 27.—Net Revenue and Receipts of the Consolidated Revenue Fund, 1910-11 to 1917-18.

Head of Revenue.	1910-11.	1911-12.	1912-13.	1913-14.	1914-15.	1915-16.	1916-17.	1917-18.
Governmental:—								
Taxation—								
Commonwealth—Balance of Revenue collected and returned to State	£ 1,942,245	£ 2,046,993	£ 2,178,683	£ 2,248,241	£ 2,287,295	£ 2,297,872	£ 2,286,913	£ 2,317,783
State	1,027,519	1,885,653	1,405,360	2,330,005	2,955,670	3,117,221	3,629,404	3,860,501
	£ 2,969,764	3,932,646	3,584,043	4,578,246	5,242,965	5,415,093	5,916,317	6,178,284
Land—								
Alienations	944,030	894,797	999,363	982,885	906,785	1,057,711	972,658	1,068,676
Revenue	810,427	774,451	836,585	846,002	791,296	807,602	774,351	792,784
	£ 1,754,457	1,669,248	1,835,948	1,828,887	1,698,081	1,865,313	1,747,009	1,861,460
Receipts for Services rendered	£ 419,388	383,669	412,727	453,016	408,390	414,671	417,345	406,490
Miscellaneous Receipts	317,082	647,672	495,427	482,649	561,093	502,328	550,008	519,016
Industrial Undertakings of the State ... ..	.....	20,281	32,885	6,300	10,358	9,060	12,710	12,348
Total Governmental	£ 5,460,691	6,653,516	6,361,030	7,349,098	7,920,887	8,206,465	8,643,389	8,977,598
Business Undertakings by the State:—								
Railway Commissioners	7,412,127	8,067,597	8,544,376	9,684,877	9,660,822	9,990,502	10,390,602	10,821,648
Sydney Harbour Trust	374,280	412,410	452,244	470,773	464,681	489,722	511,980	576,459
Metropolitan Board of Water Supply and Sewerage	537,355	584,654	633,599	713,056	796,338	844,664	866,314	953,306
Hunter District Water Supply and Sewerage Board	54,686	58,788	66,145	80,945	85,823	98,089	99,448	104,822
Total Business Undertakings	£ 8,378,448	9,123,449	9,696,364	10,949,651	11,007,664	11,422,977	11,868,344	12,456,235
Total	13,839,139	15,776,965	16,057,394	18,298,749	18,928,551	19,629,442	20,511,733	21,433,833
Other Receipts (Advances Repaid, &c.)	43,346	20,171	203,062	139,480	17,676	74,076	26,102	143,396
Grand Total	£ 13,882,485	15,797,136	16,260,456	18,438,229	18,946,227	19,703,518	20,537,835	21,577,229

No. 28.—Net Expenditure from the Consolidated Revenue Fund, 1910-11 to 1917-18.

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NEW SOUTH WALES

Head of Expenditure.	1910-11.	1911-12.	1912-13.	1913-14.	1914-15.	1915-16.	1916-17.	1917-18.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Governmental:—								
Interest on Public Debt and on Funds in temporary possession of Government (exclusive of Business Undertakings)	801,754	897,215	950,895	1,022,732	971,435	1,057,769	1,004,193	1,089,728
Reduction of Public Debt	409,349	436,921	450,602	5,632	5,688	6,504	6,868	6,819
Local Government and Main Roads—Endowments and Grants	295,714	341,264	281,304	258,352	281,243	344,022	308,336	325,145
Hospitals and Charities (including Lunacy)	550,956	567,185	643,969	733,387	769,311	880,243	929,218	949,154
Police and Prisons	558,681	574,781	641,858	655,189	653,282	652,119	694,514	736,192
Departments:—								
Premier	62,727	109,632	115,303	85,925	185,883	175,978	132,923	92,893
Chief Secretary and Public Health (excluding Police, Hospitals, &c.)	90,293	101,533	107,827	122,666	132,955	126,539	135,172	143,235
Treasurer (excluding Charitable Allowances, &c.)	488,501	586,994	603,520	624,716	593,936	594,751	735,911	825,903
Attorney-General and Justice (excluding Prisons)	268,528	291,971	301,788	325,776	333,965	334,058	331,390	329,387
Lands	380,061	382,396	391,752	384,478	451,025	410,017	384,854	384,959
Public Works (excluding Local Government Endowments, &c.)	399,368	507,650	540,515	418,225	441,523	444,698	459,035	429,393
Public Instruction (including Grants to Educational and Scientific Institutions)	1,206,942	1,405,358	1,490,205	1,607,321	1,635,453	1,698,515	1,853,049	1,955,267
Labour and Industry	6,086	19,098	39,510	54,049	43,759	50,111	55,156	40,070
Mines	63,644	64,347	63,157	67,834	71,010	74,803	62,425	61,744
Agriculture	175,054	187,062	216,366	295,943	236,163	245,298	249,244	295,791
Local Government and Main Roads ... ..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	21,777	29,612	29,093
All other Services	411,140	387,790	545,927	450,190	420,223	445,516	467,941	494,008
Total, Governmental	£ 6,168,798	6,861,197	7,384,198	7,112,418	7,226,854	7,562,718	7,839,841	8,194,787
Business Undertakings, including Interest on Capital:—								
Railways and Tramways	6,759,942	7,501,224	8,520,415	9,505,926	9,540,159	10,107,149	10,794,694	10,969,924
Water Supply and Sewerage	576,072	608,534	644,347	725,931	785,300	841,278	984,803	1,065,413
Sydney Harbour Trust	307,253	314,143	332,839	366,698	383,435	420,669	464,564	499,156
Total, Business Undertakings	£ 7,643,267	8,423,901	9,497,601	10,598,555	10,708,894	11,369,096	12,244,061	12,534,493
Transfers to Public Works and Closer Settlement Funds	636,153	638,729	559,698	336,541	499,408	589,818	563,043	619,781
Other Payments (Advances made, &c.)	22,469	213,452	47,039	17,076	81,023	32,295	159,688	204,344
Grand Total	£ 14,470,687	16,137,279	17,488,836	18,065,190	18,516,179	19,553,927	20,806,633	21,553,405

No. 29.—Transactions on Consolidated Revenue Fund, 1912-13 to 1917-18.

	1912-13.	1913-14.	1914-15.	1915-16.	1916-17.	1917- 8.
	£	£	£	£	£	£
Balance brought forward ...	Cr. 61,363	Dr. 1,167,017	Dr. 793,978	Dr. 363,931	Dr. 214,340	Dr. 483,138
Net Revenue Proper ...	16,057,394	18,298,749	18,928,551	19,629,442	20,511,733	21,433,833
Advances Repaid ...	203,062	139,480	17,676	74,076	26,102	143,396
(A) Total Receipts for year	16,260,456	18,438,229	18,946,227	19,703,518	20,537,835	21,577,229
Net Expenditure Proper ...	16,356,497	17,705,341	17,930,060	18,925,310	20,077,034	20,722,461
Payments to Sinking Fund..	450,602	5,632	5,688	6,504	6,868	6,819
Advances—Treasurer's Ac- count and Loan Votes ...	47,039	17,676	81,023	32,295	159,688	204,344
Public Works Fund—Statu- tory payment of $\frac{2}{3}$ of Pro- ceeds of Sale of Crown lands, less 20 per cent. ...	359,698	336,541	299,408	354,818	328,043	369,781
Payments in aid— Public Works Fund ...	200,000	...	200,000	235,000	235,000	250,000
Advance to Railway Loan A/c	75,000	...	...	...	...	...
(B) Total Disbursements during year ...	17,488,836	18,065,190	18,516,179	19,553,927	20,806,633	21,553,405
Surplus on Transactions of year—(A)—(B) ...	(—) 1,228,380	373,039	430,048	149,591	(—) 268,798	23,824

(—) Denotes deficiency.

No. 30.—Revenue per head collected by the State, 1908-1918.

Year.	Governmental.					Business Undertakings.				Total Revenue
	Taxation.	Returned by Com-monwealth	Land Revenue.	Other Rev- enue.	Total.	Railways and Tramways.	Water and Sewer- age.	Har- bour Trust.	Total.	
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1907-8	0 14 1	2 6 11	1 3 4	8 11	4 13 3	3 18 0	7 2 4	3 4 9	5 9 2	8
1908-9	0 11 7	2 3 0	1 2 10	8 3	4 5 8	3 18 8	6 10 4	3 4 9	8 15 5	5
1909-10	0 15 4	2 1 11	1 1 8	8 11	4 7 10	4 3 6	7 1 4	3 4 14	10 9 2	8
1910-11	0 12 6	1 3 9	1 2 5	8 6	3 7 2	4 10 6	7 2 4	7 5 2	3 8 9	5
1911-12	1 2 2	1 4 1	1 0 10	11 6	3 18 7	4 15 0	7 7 4	10 5 7	5 9 6	0
1912-13	0 15 10	1 4 6	1 0 7	12 10	3 13 9	4 16 1	7 10 5	1 5 9	6 10 1	2
1913-14	1 5 5	1 4 6	0 19 11	11 10	4 1 8	5 5 8	8 8 5	2 5 19	6 10 1	2
1914-15	1 11 8	1 4 7	0 18 3	10 8	4 5 2	5 3 8	9 5 5	0 5 18	1 10 3	3
1915-16	1 13 4	1 4 7	1 0 10	8 4	8 7	5 6 11	10 1 5	3 6 2	3 10 10	10
1916-17	1 18 11	1 4 7	0 18 9	10 9	4 13 0	5 11 6	10 5 5	6 6 7	5 11 0	5
1917-18	2 0 11	1 4 7	0 19 9	11 5	4 16 8	5 14 7	11 2 6	1 6 11	10 11 8	6

No. 31.—Expenditure per head by the State, 1908-18.

Year.	Governmental.				Business Undertakings.				Total Expenditure.
	Public Instruction.	Interest and Sinking Funds.	Other Services.	Total.	Railways and Tramways.*	Water and Sewer- age.*	Harbo'r Trust.*	Total.	
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1907-8	0 13 7	0 14 10	3 12 6	5 0 11	3 9 0	6 7 3	7 3 19	2 9 0	1
1908-9	0 13 11	0 15 10	3 15 7	5 5 4	3 13 1	6 9 3	7 4 3	5 9 8	9
1909-10	0 14 4	0 15 5	3 1 4	4 11 1	3 16 10	6 8 3	7 4 7	1 8 18	2
1910-11	0 14 9	0 14 10	2 13 8	4 3 3	4 2 6	7 1 3	9 4 13	4 8 16	7
1911-12	0 16 5	0 15 8	2 18 8	4 10 9	4 8 4	7 3 3	8 4 19	3 9 10	0
1912-13	0 16 9	0 15 9	2 17 4	4 9 10	4 15 9	7 3 3	9 5 6	9 9 16	7
1913-14	0 17 7	0 11 3	2 12 8	4 1 6	5 3 9	7 11 4	0 5 15	8 9 17	2
1914-15	0 17 6	0 10 6	2 15 9	4 3 9	5 2 5	8 5 4	1 5 14	11 10 9	3
1915-16	0 18 2	0 11 5	2 18 0	4 7 7	5 8 2	9 0 4	6 1 8	10 11 3	4
1916-17	0 19 11	0 10 10	3 1 2	4 11 11	5 15 10	10 7 5	0 6 11	5 11 3	4
1917-18	1 0 9	0 11 7	3 3 2	4 15 6	5 16 2	11 3 5	4 6 12	9 11 8	3

NOTE.—See Tables Nos. 27 and 28 for actual amounts received and expended.

* Includes payment of interest on capital expenditure.

No. 32.—Trading Banks—Liabilities.

NOTE.—Liabilities to Shareholders are not included.

Quarter ended 30th June.	Notes in Circulation.	Bills in Circulation.	Deposits.			Balances due to other Banks.	Total Liabilities.
			Not bearing Interest.	Bearing Interest.	Total.		
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1908	1,713,314	283,567	18,847,680	24,769,305	43,616,985	357,320	45,971,186
1909	1,659,826	298,868	18,846,211	25,834,135	44,680,346	129,093	46,768,133
1910	1,801,807	370,885	23,512,712	26,642,873	50,155,585	100,348	52,428,625
1911	1,819,180	402,760	25,985,355	29,341,683	55,327,038	206,181	57,755,159
1912	226,151	418,504	27,937,492	30,292,076	58,229,568	177,130	59,051,353
1913	142,686	431,429	26,504,388	†30,777,791	†57,282,179	861,270	58,717,564
1914	111,939	510,811	29,944,028	†32,983,409	†62,927,437	1,177,365	64,727,552
1915	95,505	419,227	33,186,317	†35,031,367	†68,217,684	1,236,574	69,968,990
1916	87,316	529,211	43,610,878	†36,435,167	†80,046,045	2,120,888	82,783,460
1917	80,765	584,564	46,599,978	†37,449,286	†84,049,204	1,534,805	86,249,398
1918	73,615	694,466	46,125,775	†40,363,818	†86,489,593	1,722,958	88,980,632
1919	69,509	738,596	45,215,578	†48,649,516	†93,865,094	3,076,243	97,749,442

† Includes Commonwealth Savings Bank deposits which have already been included under the returns of Savings Banks—Table No. 35. On 30th June, 1919, the amount so included was £5,139,350.

No. 33.—Trading Banks—Assets.

Quarter ended 30th June.	Coin.	Bullion.	Australian Notes.	Landed Property.	Notes and Bills discounted, and all other debts due to the Banks.	Notes and Bills of other Banks.	Balances due from other Banks.	Total Assets.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1908	9,617,962	190,432	.....	1,783,694	37,968,766	348,516	487,604	50,396,974
1909	10,096,626	222,304	.....	1,791,040	37,109,453	344,069	419,509	49,983,001
1910	12,785,389	195,204	.....	1,824,349	37,482,907	407,089	607,367	53,302,305
1911	14,327,999	196,961	1,770,751	1,871,811	42,456,515	664,320	618,467	61,906,824
1912	12,116,947	196,110	1,992,519	1,930,319	47,449,649	293,103	488,699	64,467,346
1913	11,839,977	143,723	1,854,248	1,967,555	45,147,699	365,625	1,110,028	62,428,855
1914	15,364,463	120,338	1,845,189	1,953,111	47,765,084	498,760	1,571,433	69,118,378
1915	14,711,181	117,900	7,273,320	2,108,633	51,379,741	484,435	1,322,677	77,397,887
1916	11,570,443	134,935	13,073,103	2,255,032	59,101,909	504,809	2,284,894	88,925,125
1917	11,022,375	541,657	11,766,417	2,348,946	63,031,127	534,028	1,839,955	91,084,505
1918	11,058,838	397,547	11,042,479	2,389,946	73,015,430	597,882	2,172,052	100,674,174
1919	10,690,571	369,120	12,143,196	2,378,000	88,808,710	637,069	4,019,595	119,046,261

No. 34.—Trading Banks' Exchange Settlements, Sydney.

Year.				Amount.	Year.				Amount.
				£					£
1907	...	...	...	234,169,822	1913	...	...	...	348,741,175
1908	...	...	...	227,736,243	1914	...	...	...	353,068,040
1909	...	...	...	240,645,737	1915	...	...	...	357,803,424
1910	...	...	...	274,343,666	1916	...	...	...	422,371,972
1911	...	...	...	304,488,435	1917	...	...	...	444,532,930
1912	...	...	...	330,621,122	1918	...	...	...	552,216,829
Total, 1st January to 30th June, 1919				...	...				£264,914,699
" " 1st July, 1918				...	...				£278,674,887

No. 35.—Savings Banks.

Year ended 30th June.	Number of Depositors on 30th June.	Value of Deposits on 30th June.	Increase in Deposits during Year.	Amount Deposited on 30th June.	
				Per Depositor.	Per Inhabitant.
	No.	£	£	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1908	435,618	17,849,384	1,511,333	40 19 0	11 11 3
1909	444,930	19,022,151	1,172,767	42 15 1	12 1 6
1910	478,006	20,823,764	1,801,613	43 11 3	12 18 0
1911	522,251	23,381,014	2,557,250	44 15 4	14 1 5
1912	577,232	26,539,640	3,158,626	45 19 6	15 5 3
†1913	647,124	29,568,282	3,028,642	45 13 10	16 6 10
†1914	717,737	33,167,523	3,599,241	46 4 3	17 17 2
†1915	755,835	35,562,649	2,395,126	47 1 0	19 0 9
†1916	806,882	37,363,272	1,800,623	46 6 1	20 0 8
†1917	872,351	40,836,747	3,473,475	46 16 3	21 17 4
†1918	920,337	43,039,012	2,202,265	46 15 3	22 12 2
†30th Sept., 1918	936,922	†43,483,571	†444,559	†46 8 2	†22 13 2
†31st Dec., 1918	†946,460	†43,094,491	(—) †389,080	†45 10 8	†22 7 0
†31st Mar., 1919	†966,791	†44,517,434	†1,422,943	†46 0 11	†22 17 11
„ 1918	†908,203	†41,976,008	†843,733	†46 4 4	†22 1 5

† Includes returns from Savings Bank Branch of Commonwealth Bank of Australia.

‡ Information at end of quarter. (—) Denotes decrease.

No. 36.—State Railways.

Year ended 30th June.	Miles open for traffic.	Capital expended on lines open.	Net Earnings.	Train miles run.	Net Earnings per train mile.	Passengers carried.
	No.	£	£	No.	s. d.	No.
1909	3,623	47,612,666	2,075,626	15,074,144	2 9	52,051,556
1910	3,643	48,925,348	2,209,306	15,468,026	2 10½	53,644,271
1911	3,761	50,971,894	2,351,144	17,006,697	2 9½	60,919,628
1912	3,832	53,514,903	2,321,882	18,521,320	2 6	70,706,728
1913	3,930	57,653,778	2,104,104	19,184,247	2 2½	79,490,012
1914	3,967	61,264,869	2,332,421	20,549,695	2 3½	86,328,421
1915	4,134	65,583,274	2,305,349	20,420,023	2 3	88,774,451
1916	4,188	68,825,592	2,344,910	21,556,934	2 2½	92,850,838
1917	4,437	72,006,621	2,464,725	20,300,717	2 5½	96,709,846
1918	4,679	75,050,450	3,014,433	18,143,267	3 4	94,304,516
1919	4,824	76,601,591	3,053,723	19,935,202	3 0½	98,568,768
*June, 1919	4,824	76,601,591	456,615	4,971,939	1 10	24,063,602
„ 1918	4,679	75,050,450	805,059	5,312,996	2 11½	25,737,954

* Information at end of quarter.

No. 37.—State Tramways.

Year ended 30th June.	Miles open for traffic.	Capital expended on lines open.	Net Earnings.	Tramway miles run.	Net earnings per tram mile.	Passengers carried.
	No.	£	£	No.	s. d.	No.
1909	151	4,252,731	222,005	18,853,621	0 2½	186,318,738
1910	166	4,668,797	201,981	20,579,386	0 2½	201,151,021
1911	190	5,121,586	221,682	22,541,429	0 2½	230,275,938
1912	195	5,664,324	249,980	24,362,219	0 2½	266,789,546
1913	208	6,699,305	182,376	26,954,767	0 1½	294,455,452
1914	212	7,628,653	265,131	28,415,476	0 2½	310,592,698
1915	220	7,970,293	374,774	26,842,974	0 3½	289,282,845
1916	221	8,166,423	388,978	26,451,442	0 3½	292,021,774
1917	224	8,309,629	317,172	25,361,992	0 3	295,303,714
1918	225	8,470,091	380,381	21,761,244	0 4½	255,740,808
1919	225	8,568,138	386,977	24,674,306	0 3½	268,797,814
*June, 1919	225	8,568,138	15,516	5,989,648	0 0½	60,468,149
„ 1918	225	8,470,091	91,458	6,246,664	0 3½	70,727,682

* Information at end of quarter.

No. 38.—Area under Crop.

Season ended June.	Wheat.	Maize.	Oats.	Sugar-cane Cut for Crushing.	Hay.	Vines. Wine-making.	Potatoes.	All Crops.
	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.
1908	1,390,171	160,980	75,762	9,916	542,761	4,644	131,917	2,570,137
1909	1,394,056	180,812	59,881	6,951	715,896	4,472	26,301	2,713,971
1910	1,990,180	212,797	81,452	6,480	630,664	4,561	35,725	3,174,864
1911	2,128,826	213,217	77,991	5,596	638,577	4,354	44,452	3,381,921
1912	2,380,710	167,781	71,047	5,244	654,149	4,260	43,148	3,629,170
1913	2,231,514	176,471	85,175	6,137	947,062	4,403	34,124	3,737,269
1914	3,205,397	156,820	103,416	6,198	801,130	4,498	38,725	4,568,841
1915	2,758,024	143,663	43,476	6,012	785,944	4,113	30,418	4,808,627
1916	4,188,865	154,130	58,636	6,030	1,108,919	3,501	19,589	5,794,835
1917	3,806,604	155,378	67,111	5,223	858,532	3,442	22,449	5,163,030
1918	3,329,371	145,754	82,591	5,588	620,644	3,839	22,580	4,462,916

* The figures in this column are exclusive of areas double-cropped.

No. 39.—Production of Crops.

Season ended June.	Wheat.	Maize.	Oats.	Sugar-cane.	Hay.	Wine.	Potatoes.	Total value of Agricultural Production.
	bushels.	bushels.	bushels.	tons.	tons.	gallons.	tons.	£
1908	9,155,884	4,527,852	851,776	277,390	376,800	778,500	55,882	6,587,990
1909	15,483,276	5,216,038	1,119,558	144,760	730,014	736,262	71,794	8,318,900
1910	28,532,029	7,098,255	1,966,586	131,081	981,201	808,870	100,143	10,908,320
1911	27,913,547	7,594,130	1,702,706	160,311	843,080	805,600	121,033	9,493,060
1912	25,088,102	4,507,342	1,155,226	147,799	728,474	850,210	75,166	9,748,820
1913	32,487,336	5,111,990	1,674,075	140,914	1,108,275	719,100	91,642	11,816,790
1914	38,020,381	4,453,309	1,835,406	185,970	955,047	561,100	106,849	12,377,650
1915	12,830,530	3,174,825	513,910	181,606	613,262	549,140	40,709	10,031,760
1916	66,764,910	3,773,600	1,345,698	157,748	1,573,938	571,000	44,445	20,362,360
1917	36,598,000	4,333,480	1,084,980	143,558	1,174,050	628,950	45,331	11,487,830
1918	37,712,000	3,499,960	1,455,111	174,881	784,206	538,210	49,984	13,671,780

No. 40.—Average Yield per acre of Crops.

Season ended June.	Wheat.	Maize.	Oats.	Sugar-cane.	Hay.	Wine.	Potatoes.	Value per acre.
	bushels.	bushels.	bushels.	tons.	tons.	gallons.	tons.	£ s. d.
1908	6'6	28'1	11'2	27'97	0'69	168	1'75	2 11 3
1909	11'1	28'8	18'7	20'83	1'02	165	2'73	3 1 3
1910	14'3	33'4	24'1	20'23	1'56	177	2'80	3 8 9
1911	13'1	35'6	21'8	28'65	1'32	185	2'72	2 16 2
1912	10'5	26'9	16'3	28'18	1'11	200	1'74	2 13 9
1913	14'6	29'0	19'7	22'96	1'17	163	2'68	3 3 3
1914	11'9	28'4	17'7	30'00	1'19	125	2'76	2 14 2
1915	4'7	22'1	11'8	30'21	0'78	134	1'34	2 1 9
1916	15'9	24'5	23'0	26'16	1'42	163	2'27	3 10 3
1917	9'6	27'9	16'2	27'49	1'37	183	2'02	2 4 6
Av'ge for 10 years	11'5	29'1	18'2	26'61	1'12	184	2'47	2 16 9
1918	11'3	24'0	17'6	31'30	1'26	140	2'21	3 1 3

No. 41.—Live Stock.

Period.	Horses.	Cattle.		Sheep.	Pigs.
		Dairy Cows.*	All other.		
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
31st Dec., 1907	578,326	756,916	1,994,277	44,461,839	216,145
" 1908	591,045	777,149	2,178,785	43,370,797	215,822
" 1909	604,784	794,549	2,233,178	46,202,578	237,849
" 1910	650,636	866,030	2,274,277	45,560,969	321,632
" 1911	689,004	894,744	2,299,492	44,947,287	371,093
" 1912	716,457	852,782	2,188,052	39,044,502	293,653
" 1913	746,170	822,667	2,000,073	39,850,223	288,090
30th June, 1915	733,341	850,957	1,626,635	33,009,038	286,704
" 1916	719,542	835,719	1,570,051	32,600,729	281,158
" 1917	733,791	854,632	1,911,311	36,196,383	359,763
" 1918	†742,447	†888,217	†2,273,500	†38,621,196	†396,157

† Includes Lord Howe Island.

* The figures for the last ten years are made up as follow :—

Period.	Milch Cows.	Dry Dairy Cows.	Heifers within 3 months of calving.	Total Dairy Cows.
31st Dec., 1908	.. .. 527,843	.. .. 208,840	.. .. 40,466	.. .. 777,149
" 1909	.. .. 566,378	.. .. 189,507	.. .. 38,664	.. .. 794,549
" 1910	.. .. 632,786	.. .. 193,657	.. .. 39,587	.. .. 866,030
" 1911	.. .. 638,525	.. .. 218,593	.. .. 37,626	.. .. 894,744
" 1912	.. .. 620,730	.. .. 201,810	.. .. 30,742	.. .. 852,782
" 1913	.. .. 600,420	.. .. 189,769	.. .. 32,478	.. .. 822,667
30th June, 1915	.. .. 426,173	.. .. 344,247	.. .. 80,537	.. .. 850,957
" 1916	.. .. 426,227	.. .. 317,368	.. .. 92,124	.. .. 835,719
" 1917	.. .. 424,033	.. .. 319,230	.. .. 111,369	.. .. 854,632
" 1918	.. .. †429,566	.. .. †347,834	.. .. 110,827	.. .. †888,217

No. 42.—Production—Pastoral and Dairying.

Year.	Wool (as in the grease).	Tallow.	Butter.	Cheese.	Bacon and Hams.
	lb.	cwt.	lb.	lb.	lb.
1907	367,446,000	490,430	60,041,449	4,586,857	10,358,526
1908	338,129,000	420,630	61,380,876	4,763,360	9,488,299
1909	370,808,000	640,110	62,865,608	4,775,268	9,931,377
1910	415,338,000	742,200	76,624,830	5,191,089	12,620,067
1911	371,546,000	729,330	83,204,568	5,460,652	16,102,827
1912	326,804,000	568,500	76,609,528	5,454,685	16,526,376
1913	357,985,000	795,020	77,779,197	6,620,648	15,192,263
Jany. to June, 1914	131,810,000*	348,680*	42,427,000*	2,882,000*	6,587,000*
1914-15	318,935,000	711,850	84,134,280	6,356,627	15,327,048
1915-16	262,045,000	274,000	59,631,543	5,979,636	13,576,641
1916-17	270,525,000	379,660	79,364,471	7,830,239	15,788,156
1917-18	284,188,000	331,294	80,468,007	7,799,676	18,555,144

*Partly estimated.

No. 43.—Persons employed permanently in Rural Occupations.

Year ended 30th June.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Year ended 30th June.	Males.	Females.	Total.
	No.	No.	No.		No.	No.	No.
1907	117,522	21,341	138,863	1913	127,414	24,218	151,632
1908	120,106	20,809	140,915	1914	128,029	25,428	153,457
1909	119,836	22,317	142,153	1915	122,510	23,792	146,302
1910	123,769	22,573	146,342	1916	119,277	24,147	143,424
1911	126,548	24,632	151,180	1917	116,092	26,077	142,169
1912	129,174	25,204	154,378	1918	112,549	26,904	139,453

No. 44.—Average Prices in London of New South Wales Produce—Monthly.

Month.	Wheat.	Flour.	Butter† (Finest Quality).		Wool.		Tallow.
			Average Top.	Average Bottom.	Greasy.	Scoured.	
	per qr. s. d.	per ton. £ s. d.	per cwt. s.	per cwt. s.	per lb. d.	per lb. s. d.	per cwt. s. d.
June, 1918	... *	*	¶ 252	...	†...	†...	†...
July, "	... *	*	¶ 252	...	†...	†...	†...
August, "	... *	*	¶ 252	...	†...	†...	†...
September, "	... *	*	¶ 252	...	†...	†...	†...
October, "	... *	*	¶ 252	...	†...	†...	†...
November, "	... *	*	¶ 252	...	†...	†...	†...
December, "	... *	*	¶ 252	...	†...	†...	†...
January, 1919	... *	*	¶ 252	...	†...	†...	†...
February, "	... *	*	¶ 252	...	†...	†...	†...
March, "	... *	*	¶ 252	...	†...	†...	†...
April, "	... *	*	¶ 252	...	†...	†...	†...
May, "	... *	*	¶ 252	...	†...	†...	†...
June, "	... *	*	¶ 252	...	†...	†...	†...

* No quotations.

† Average price for Australian Butter only. No separate quote received for N.S. Wales Butter.

‡ Not available.

¶ Rate fixed by the Imperial Government.

No. 45.—Average Wholesale Prices in Sydney of N.S.W. Agricultural and Dairy Produce—Monthly.

Month.	Wheat (Milling).*	Flour (In 150 lb. bags).	Bran.	Pollard.	Oats.	Maize.	Hay (Oaten).
	per bushel. s. d.	per ton. £ s. d.	per bushel. d.	per bushel. d.	per bushel. s. d.	per bushel. s. d.	per ton. £ s. d.
June, 1918	... 4 9	11 0 0	9'6	13'2	4 11¼	4 10½	7 0 0
July, "	... 4 9	11 0 0	9'6	13'2	4 11¼	5 8	7 14 0
August, "	... 4 9	11 0 0	9'6	13'2	5 0	5 9½	5 11 9
September, "	... 4 9	11 0 0	9'6	13'2	5 0	5 11¼	5 18 3
October, "	... 4 9	11 0 0	9'6	13'2	4 6½	6 2½	7 12 6
November, "	... 4 9	11 0 0	9'6	13'2	5 0	6 4½	8 2 6
December, "	... 4 9	11 0 0	10'8	12'0	5 0	6 5½	8 5 0
January, 1919	... 4 9	11 0 0	10'8	12'0	5 1½	7 9	9 0 9
February, "	... 5 0	11 0 0	13'8	15'0	5 5½	8 3	8 8 0
March, "	... 5 0	11 0 0	13'8	15'0	5 6½	8 1¼	7 7 6
April, "	... 5 0	11 0 0	13'8	15'0	5 6½	7 5½	8 8 3
May, "	... 5 0	11 0 0	13'8	15'0	5 6	8 0	9 6 9
June, "	... 5 0	11 0 0	13'8	15'0	5 6	7 4½	8 15 0
	Potatoes (Local).	Butter (Good Brands)	Cheese (Prime).	Bacon (Sides).	Lard (Bulk).	Eggs.	
	per ton. £ s. d.	per lb. d.	per lb. d.	per lb. d.	per lb. d.	per doz. s. d.	per doz. s. d.
June, 1918	... 4 16 3	17	10½	12	10	1 11½	2 1½
July, "	... 5 2 6	17½	10½	12	10	1 5	1 6½
August, "	... 6 0 0	17½	10½	11½	10	1 0¼	1 2
September, "	... 5 3 3	17½	10½	11½	10	0 9½	0 11½
October, "	... 6 11 9	16½	10½	11½	10	0 10¼	0 11
November, "	... 9 5 0	16½	11½	11½	9½	0 11½	1 0½
December, "	... 8 14 3	18½	11½	13	9½	1 0½	1 2½
January, 1919	... 16 16 9	18½	11½	13	10	1 0½	1 5½
February, "	... 12 3 3	18¾	11¼	13	10	1 3½	1 8½
March, "	... 10 5 0	20	13½	13	10¼	1 6½	2 0½
April, "	... 11 0 0	19	12¾	13¼	10	1 7½	2 3¼
May, "	... 11 5 0	19	13	13¼	10	2 1	2 6
June, "	... 9 1 9	19	13	13¼	10	2 2¾	2 9

* Since the 25th March, 1916, the official f.o.b. price of wheat for flour for home consumption has been 4s. 10½d. per bushel. This includes 3½d. handling and commission charges; but city millers, handling grain for their own mills, obtain it for 1½d. per bushel less than the f.o.b. price, so that since that date the price of wheat for flour for home consumption has been 4s. 9d. per bushel (on trucks), Sydney. On 1st February 1919, the price was raised to 6s. per bushel.

No. 46.—Gold produced, January to June.

Month.	1919.		1918.	
	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.
	oz. fine.	£	oz. fine.	£
January to May	23,030	97,825	37,232	158,150
June	3,994	16,967	7,472	31,742
Total (six months)	27,024	114,792	44,704	189,892

No. 47.—Quantity and Value of Minerals produced, 1917 and 1918.

Minerals.	1917.		1918.		Increase in Value.	Decrease in Value.
	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.		
Metallic—		£		£	£	£
Gold oz. fine	82,171	349,038	87,045	369,743	20,705	.....
Silver "	1,782,004	328,241	2,007,037	419,498	91,257	.....
Silver—Lead, Ore, Con- centrates, &c. ... ton	234,881	4,165,324	295,045	4,711,669	546,345	.....
Lead—Pig, &c. "	20,817	616,531	21,922	608,342	.....	8,189
Zinc Spelter & Concentrates,,	113,531	441,486	87,019	295,413	.....	146,073
Tin Ingots and Ore "	2,072	373,696	1,890	548,876	175,180	.....
Copper, Matte, Ingots, and Ore "	6,576	814,154	6,510	696,580	.....	117,574
Antimony and Ore "	301	3,738	358	3,155	.....	583
Bismuth "	20	9,391	31	16,406	7,015	.....
Wolfram "	118	21,682	136	24,552	2,870	.....
Scheelite "	127	23,419	117	21,078	.....	2,341
Molybdenite "	70	31,608	93	41,850	10,242	.....
Platinum oz.	259	2,072	607	7,075	5,003	.....
Iron ton	45,025	247,637	68,072	350,000	102,363	.....
Iron Oxide "	1,431	1,267	2,153	2,255	988	.....
Ironstone Flux... .. "	4,482	3,498	6,322	6,388	2,890	... ..
Non-metallic—						
Coal ton	8,292,867	4,422,740	9,063,176	4,941,807	519,067	.....
Coke "	455,587	541,093	608,492	647,798	106,705	.....
Kerosene Shale "	31,661	36,565	32,395	39,676	3,111	.....
Alunite "	1,788	10,728	3,406	17,030	6,302	.....
Limestone Flux "	74,440	25,746	103,644	44,608	18,862	.....
Marble ... .. "	.....	770	.....	2,415	1,645	.....
Diamonds carat	2,991	2,006	1,784	1,204	.....	802
Opal ... .. "	.....	12,522	.....	20,600	8,078	.....
Sundry Minerals ... .. "	.....	79,521	.....	103,146	23,625	.....
Total ... .. £	.....	12,564,473	.....	13,941,164	1,652,253 Net increase.	275,562 1,376,691

NOTE.—The above table does not include lime and Portland cement, valued at £388,246 and £478,188 respectively, in 1917 and 1918. Those items are included in the manufacturing returns.

No. 48.—Value of Minerals Produced, and Total Miners Employed.

Year.	Gold.	Silver, Silver-lead, and Ore.	Copper.	Tin.	Coal.	Total Minerals Produced.	Total Miners Employed.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	No.
1908	954,854	2,160,195	502,812	205,447	3,353,093	8,384,149	38,965
1909	869,546	1,653,615	424,737	211,029	2,618,596	7,403,210	36,405
1910	802,211	1,861,479	486,257	228,156	3,009,657	8,455,170	37,413
1911	769,353	2,442,764	590,102	307,089	3,167,165	9,409,519	37,017
1912	702,129	3,481,266	579,791	338,074	3,660,015	11,228,677	37,858
1913	635,703	3,808,125	598,733	421,292	3,770,375	11,651,407	38,880
1914	528,873	3,241,263	274,671	267,130	3,737,761	10,038,020	36,467
1915	562,819	2,631,662	234,437	266,780	3,424,630	9,603,230	31,411
1916	459,370	3,284,991	586,127	306,497	3,336,419	10,515,856	31,304
1917	349,038	4,493,565	814,154	373,696	4,422,740	12,564,473	32,817
1918	339,743	5,131,167	696,580	548,876	4,941,807	13,941,164	33,633

No. 49.—Price Levels.

The index numbers are calculated on the f.o.b. prices, Sydney, of principal articles of domestic produce exported. The average prices of the whole year 1901 are adopted as basis, and called 1,000.

Period.	General Index— all articles.	Index of Pastoral Products—Wool, Tallow, Hides, Leather, &c.	Index of Metals—Silver Lead, Copper Tin.
1918.			
June ...	2,226	2,371	2,370
July ...	2,185	2,259	2,463
August ...	2,330	2,496	2,520
September ...	2,247	2,333	2,447
October ...	2,192	2,287	2,430
November ...	2,170	2,160	2,432
December ...	2,222	2,326	2,354
1919.			
January ...	2,184	2,180	2,320
February ...	2,069	2,185	2,033
March ...	2,145	2,428	1,953
April ...	2,044	2,356	1,785
May ...	2,150	2,510	1,925
June ...	2,302	2,925	1,923

No. 50.—Manufactories.

Year.	Number of Establish- ments.	Persons Employed.			Value of Plant and Machinery.	Total Wages Paid.	Value of Output.
		Males.	Females.	Total.			
		No.	No.	No.	£	£	£
1907	4,432	65,953	20,514	86,467	9,155,772	6,650,715	40,018,301
1908	4,453	67,616	21,482	89,098	9,718,842	7,218,556	40,163,826
1909	4,581	69,184	22,518	91,702	10,330,724	7,665,125	42,960,689
1910	4,821	75,384	24,327	99,711	11,578,620	8,687,007	49,615,643
1911	5,039	82,083	26,541	108,624	12,510,600	10,047,662	54,346,011
1912	5,162	88,178	27,383	115,561	13,795,195	11,592,052	61,163,328
1913	5,346	93,036	27,364	120,400	14,861,676	12,683,384	65,672,495
1914-15	5,269	90,409	26,202	116,611	16,866,982	12,667,721	68,253,332
1915-16	5,210	87,724	28,677	116,401	18,211,104	13,413,845	70,989,864
1916-17	5,356	88,910	29,087	117,997	20,364,122	14,381,309	85,944,320
* 1917-18	5,414	90,025	30,529	120,554	21,739,739	14,701,255	96,178,191

* See also Table 51.

† Of this amount, males received £12,848,017, and females £1,853,238.

No. 51.—Manufacturing Industries, 1917-18.

Class of Industry.	Establishments.	Persons Employed.			Salaries and Wages.
		Males.	Females.	Total.	
	No.	No.	No.	No.	£
Treating Raw Materials, Product of Pastoral Pursuits, &c.	253	3,859	114	3,973	482,855
Oils and Fats—Animal, Vegetable, &c. ...	39	1,112	293	1,405	169,173
Processes in Stone, Clay, Glass, &c. ...	282	5,948	92	6,040	733,796
Working in Wood ...	670	7,299	111	7,410	937,607
Metal Works, Machinery, &c. ...	617	25,607	581	26,188	3,985,818
Connected with Food, Drink, and Narcotics	794	12,135	4,751	16,886	2,097,106
Clothing and Textile Fabrics and Materials	998	7,218	19,181	26,399	2,145,362
Books, Paper, Printing, and Engraving ...	471	6,729	2,833	9,562	1,175,067
Musical Instruments, &c. ...	15	385	48	433	65,466
Arms and Explosives ...	5	1,191	1	1,192	227,096
Vehicles and Fittings, Saddlery, Harness, &c.	459	4,128	171	4,299	492,075
Ship and Boat Building ...	35	3,604	15	3,619	560,358
Furniture, Bedding, and Upholstery ...	256	3,239	521	3,760	441,687
Drugs, Chemicals, and By-products ...	120	1,325	885	2,210	238,733
Surgical and other Scientific Instruments...	16	115	47	162	18,965
Jewellery, Timepieces, and Platedware ...	50	622	106	728	97,782
Heat, Light, and Power ...	227	3,927	57	3,984	611,466
Leatherware, n.e.i. ...	29	464	259	723	68,507
Minor Wares, n.e.i. ...	78	1,118	463	1,581	152,336
Total ...	5,414	90,025	30,529	120,554	14,701,255†
	Value of Machinery, Implements, and Plant.	Value of Materials used.	Value of Fuel Consumed.	Value of Goods Manufactured or work done.	Value of Production, being value added to Raw Materials.
	£	£	£	£	£
Treating Raw Materials, Product of Pastoral Pursuits, &c.	527,326	7,809,944†	64,709	9,473,367	1,598,714
Oils and Fats—Animal, Vegetable, &c. ...	393,734	2,092,309	44,870	2,883,273	746,094
Processes in Stone, Clay, Glass, &c. ...	1,212,078	530,213	247,142	1,951,841	1,174,486
Working in Wood ...	916,340	2,508,794	32,273	4,044,341	1,503,274
Metal Works, Machinery, &c. ...	6,937,231	15,018,690	646,792	23,416,570	7,751,088
Connected with Food, Drink, and Narcotics	4,151,037	25,135,986	326,212	30,698,691	5,236,493
Clothing and Textile Fabrics and Materials	652,447	4,791,680	54,529	8,303,314	3,457,105
Books, Paper, Printing, and Engraving ...	1,326,907	1,836,026	44,780	3,959,322	2,078,516
Musical Instruments, &c. ...	18,412	98,766	1,100	208,293	108,427
Arms and Explosives ...	142,148	145,976	3,650	372,342	222,716
Vehicles and Fittings, Saddlery, Harness, &c.	193,994	532,205	17,672	1,267,346	717,469
Ship and Boat Building ...	1,354,372	335,228	15,430	967,571	616,913
Furniture, Bedding, and Upholstery ...	94,506	721,000	12,967	1,375,254	641,297
Drugs, Chemicals, and By-products ...	369,914	1,450,744	21,819	2,412,794	940,231
Surgical and other Scientific Instruments...	7,701	18,692	239	59,723	40,792
Jewellery, Timepieces, and Platedware ...	27,962	124,396	1,975	261,468	135,097
Heat, Light, and Power ...	4,186,318	941,404	515,536	3,527,382	2,070,442
Leatherware, n.e.i. ...	15,105	255,495	1,537	384,632	127,600
Minor Wares, n.e.i. ...	112,207	371,178	6,844	610,657	232,635
Total ...	£ 21,739,739	64,718,726	2,060,076	96,178,191	29,399,389*

* If £382,635, the value of production of articles already included in primary industries, be deducted, the total value of the production from the manufacturing industries is £29,016,754.
† Of this amount, males received £12,848,017 and females £1,853,288.

No. 52.—Manufactories—Value of Production, 1901-1918.

Class of Industry.	1901. (Census Year)	1911.	1915-16.	1916-17.	1917-18.
	£	£	£	£	£
Treating Raw Materials, Product of	337,739	649,759	929,520	1,215,284	1,598,714
Pastoral Pursuits, &c.					
Oils and Fats, &c.	160,718	266,094	380,501	457,979	746,094
Processes in Stone, Clay, Glass, &c. ...	422,272	1,083,972	1,234,212	1,138,343	1,174,486
Working in Wood	649,149	1,168,333	1,158,515	1,308,313	1,503,274
Metal Works, Machinery, &c.	2,443,432	4,864,882	7,127,261	7,475,868	7,751,088
Connected with Food, Drink, and Narcotics	2,237,369	3,463,455	4,041,122	4,332,062	4,853,858
Clothing and Textile Fabrics and Material	1,091,244	2,517,160	3,179,399	3,364,234	3,457,105
Books, Paper, Printing, and Engraving ...	950,771	1,440,173	1,783,919	1,930,581	2,078,516
Musical Instruments, &c.	22,309	76,596	78,570	91,263	108,427
Arms and Explosives	1,480	2,531	293,368	342,334	222,716
Vehicles and Fittings, Saddlery, Harness, &c.	266,016	607,307	668,784	657,831	717,469
Ship and Boat Building	148,800	370,490	590,082	697,099	616,913
Furniture, Bedding, and Upholstery ...	220,434	516,082	544,313	547,376	641,297
Drugs, Chemicals, and By-products ...	74,006	400,454	555,464	653,505	940,231
Surgical and other Scientific Instruments ..	17,304	19,172	23,104	31,420	40,792
Jewellery, Time-pieces, and Plated-ware...	24,698	125,261	137,849	127,703	135,097
Heat, Light, and Power	624,567	1,373,532	1,861,874	2,035,332	2,070,442
Leatherware, n.e.i.	12,243	67,373	105,779	107,265	127,600
Minor Wares, n.e.i.	37,047	129,837	233,402	234,127	232,635
Total	£ 9,741,598	19,142,463	24,927,038	26,747,925	29,016,754

NOTE.—The value of production from factories dealing with milk products is omitted, as it has already been included in the returns of the Dairying Industry.

No. 53.—Value of Production—Principal Industries—1891-1917-18.

The following figures represent the estimated Value of Production from the various Industries at the place of production. The figures are not exact, but are considered the best approximations from the data available.

(In thousands, 000 omitted.)

Year.	Pastoral.	Agricultural.	Mining.	Dairying.	Minor—Poultry, Bees, Rabbits.	Forests and Fisheries.	Total Primary Industries.	Manufacturing (Value added to raw materials).	Total All Industries.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1891	14,725	3,615	6,434	2,735	*	758	28,267	7,799	36,066
1896	11,774	5,374	4,465	2,546	*	715	24,874	7,302	32,176
1897	11,823	6,250	4,616	2,653	*	750	26,092	8,079	34,171
1898	13,219	4,875	4,756	2,758	*	800	26,408	8,425	34,833
1899	14,527	5,609	5,960	2,543	*	639	29,278	9,207	38,485
1900	13,707	5,856	6,362	3,617	*	796	30,338	9,656	39,994
1901	12,552	7,060	5,681	3,046	*	733	29,072	9,742	38,814
1902	10,731	4,139	5,102	3,403	*	695	24,070	10,000	34,070
1903	12,777	8,359	5,958	3,276	*	779	31,149	9,601	40,750
1904	13,373	5,414	6,243	2,753	799	900	29,482	9,899	39,381
1905	17,113	6,543	6,897	3,123	1,228	1,190	36,094	10,631	46,725
1906	19,743	7,518	7,913	3,425	1,693	1,536	41,828	11,906	53,734
1907	22,281	6,588	10,295	3,567	1,708	1,382	45,821	13,481	59,302
1908	18,846	8,319	8,384	4,064	1,732	1,165	42,510	13,633	56,143
1909	19,040	10,908	7,493	3,983	1,990	1,096	44,420	14,536	58,956
1910	21,028	9,493	8,455	4,796	2,119	1,108	46,999	16,794	63,793
1911	19,434	9,749	9,410	5,215	2,055	1,195	47,058	19,143	66,201
1912	19,440	11,817	11,229	5,758	2,089	1,303	51,636	22,464	74,100
1913	20,738	12,378	11,651	5,455	2,416	1,400	54,038	23,482	77,520
1914-15	18,848	10,031	9,603	6,231	2,301	1,307	48,321	24,011	72,332
1915-16	21,576	20,362	10,516	5,473	3,215	1,370	62,512	24,927	87,439
1916-17	26,842	11,488	12,564	7,478	3,395	1,282	63,049	26,748	89,797
1917-18	28,435	13,362	13,941	8,480	4,144	1,400	69,762	29,017	98,779

* Prior to 1904 included with the Dairying Industry.

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No. 54.—Education.

Year.	Public Schools.				Private Schools.		
	No. of Schools.	No. of Teachers.	No. of Scholars.	Expenditure by State on Education.	No. of Schools.	No. of Teachers.	No. of Scholars.
				£			
1908 ...	3,002	6,012	214,495	1,085,020	792	3,501	57,111
1909 ...	3,075	6,176	213,739	1,109,939	789	3,633	58,361
1910 ...	3,105	6,262	214,776	1,191,713	774	3,602	59,247
1911 ...	3,125	6,517	221,810	1,242,576	756	3,659	60,963
1912 ...	3,234	7,048	228,529	1,589,986	754	3,673	61,744
1913 ...	3,285	7,261	241,784	1,686,155	733	3,593	64,591
1914 ...	3,258	7,404	252,697	1,721,441	717	3,674	64,577
1915 ...	3,254	7,890	258,017	1,686,882	718	3,682	64,863
1916 ...	3,188	8,369	264,713	1,860,518	701	3,678	67,704
1917 ...	3,221	8,759	277,874	1,899,333	659	3,707	68,516
1918 ...	3,152	9,022	280,236	2,016,038	698	3,806	73,560

No. 55.—Postal Communication.

Year.	Post Offices open.	Letters and Letter Cards carried.	Post Cards carried.	Newspapers carried.	Packets, Books, and Parcels carried.	Miles of Telegraph and Telephone Line.	Telegrams transmitted.
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
1907 ...	2,319	122,130,948	15,097,710	48,340,646	37,191,554	15,910	4,894,283
1908 ...	2,368	134,684,520	14,969,312	50,461,252	38,330,311	16,338	5,149,763
1909 ...	2,397	139,058,694	12,511,546	56,002,764	38,849,363	17,087	5,177,962
1910 ...	2,437	151,315,512	12,438,544	66,963,559	40,609,036	17,615	5,607,178
1911 ...	2,490	*189,656,401		71,619,194	38,032,322	18,253	5,863,560
1912 ...	2,559	*192,996,376		68,696,648	34,755,556	18,268	6,364,990
1913 ...	2,596	*212,639,659		64,874,811	40,902,342	19,254	6,573,667
1914 ...	2,623	*217,907,644		66,216,699	36,576,538	20,828	6,703,019
1915-16 ...	2,640	*219,525,661		72,067,335	35,881,119	†	7,027,084
1916-17 ...	2,588	*259,185,729		68,546,782	31,136,805	†	7,152,913
1917-18 ...	2,579	*255,177,316		62,320,777	27,767,569	†	7,598,417

* Includes all articles registered.

† Not available.

No. 56.—Prices of Food—Sydney.

Article.	Unit	Average Retail Price in Sydney.									
		1919.								1918.	1917.
		Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April.	May.	June.	June.	June.	June.	June.
Bread	2-lb. loaf.	s. d. 0 4	s. d. 0 4	s. d. 0 4'2	s. d. 0 4 2	s. d. 0 4'2	s. d. 0 4'2	s. d. 0 4	s. d. 0 4	s. d. 0 4	s. d. 0 4
Flour	25-lb. bag.	3 9	3 9	3 9	3 9	3 9	3 9	3 7'4	3 3'7	3 7'4	3 3'7
„ self-raising ...	2 lb.	0 7'2	0 7'2	0 7'2	0 7'2	0 7'2	0 7'2	0 7'1	0 5'9	0 7'1	0 5'9
Tea	lb.	1 7	1 7	1 7	1 7	1 7	1 7	1 6'7	1 6'2	1 6'7	1 6'2
Coffee and Chicory ...	„	1 6	1 6	1 6	1 6	1 6	1 7'5	1 6'2	1 6	1 6'2	1 6
Cocoa	½ lb.	0 8'2	0 8'2	0 8'2	0 8'2	0 8'2	0 8'2	0 6'2	0 5'7	0 6'2	0 5'7
Sugar (small quantities)	lb.	0 3'5	0 3'5	0 3'5	0 3'5	0 3'5	0 3'5	0 3'5	0 3'5	0 3'5	0 3'5
Rice	„	0 3'4	0 3'4	0 3'4	0 3'4	0 3'4	0 6'5	0 3'3	0 3'2	0 3'3	0 3'2
Sago	„	0 4'7	0 4'7	0 4'7	0 4'7	0 4'7	0 4'7	0 4'7	0 3'7	0 4'7	0 3'7
Jam (Australian) ...	„	0 5'7	0 5'7	0 5'7	0 5'7	0 5'7	0 5'7	0 5'7	0 5'9	0 5'7	0 5'9
Oatmeal	5 lb. bag.	1 7'3	1 10	1 10	1 11	1 11	1 11	1 7'3	1 1'7	1 7'3	1 1'7
Raisins	lb.	0 8'7	0 8'7	0 8'7	0 8'7	0 8'7	0 8'7	0 8'2	0 7'7	0 8'2	0 7'7
Currants	„	0 9	0 9	0 9	0 9	0 9	0 9	0 8'7	0 8'2	0 8'7	0 8'2
Starch	„	0 7	0 7	0 7	0 7	0 7	0 7'6	0 7	0 7'1	0 7	0 7'1
Blue	doz. sqs.	1 5	1 5	1 5	1 5	1 5	1 5	1 5	0 9'6	1 5	0 9'6
Candles	lb.	0 10'6	0 10'6	0 10'6	0 10'6	0 10'6	0 10'9	0 10'4	0 8'7	0 10'4	0 8'7
Soap	„	0 4'6	0 4'6	0 4'6	0 4'6	0 4'6	0 4'7	0 4'6	0 4'4	0 4'6	0 4'4
Potatoes	14 lb.	2 10'7	2 9'2	2 3'9	2 2'8	2 2'7	2 2'3	1 2'5	1 2	2 2'3	1 2
Onions	lb.	0 2'2	0 2'2	0 2'3	0 2'2	0 2'4	0 2'6	0 2'7	0 1'5	0 2'7	0 1'5
Kerosene	gallon.	2 3'5	2 3'5	2 3'5	2 3'5	2 3'5	2 3'5	2 3'3	1 10'8	2 3'3	1 10'8
Milk	quart.	0 6	0 7	0 7	0 7	0 7	0 7	0 6	0 6	0 7	0 6
Butter	lb.	1 9	1 9'7	1 10'7	1 9'7	1 9'7	1 9'7	1 6'9	1 7'5	1 9'7	1 7'5
Cheese (new & matured)	„	1 2'9	1 3'4	1 3'9	1 4	1 4	1 4	1 2	1 0'6	1 4	1 0'6
Eggs, new laid ...	doz.	1 8'4	2 0'8	2 5'4	2 9'1	3 2'6	3 1'5	2 5'2	2 1'3	3 1'5	2 1'3
„ fresh	„	1 5'4	1 9'8	2 2'4	2 6'1	2 11'6	2 10'5	2 2'2	1 10	2 10'5	1 10
Bacon (middle cut) ...	lb.	1 5'2	1 5'6	1 5'6	1 5'7	1 5'7	1 5'7	1 4'7	1 4'1	1 5'7	1 4'1
„ (shoulder) ...	„	1 1'1	1 1'5	1 1'5	1 1'5	1 1'5	1 1'5	0 11'3	1 0	1 1'5	1 0
Ham	„	1 6'7	1 6'8	1 6'8	1 7'1	1 7'3	1 7'2	1 5'4	1 5'3	1 7'2	1 5'3
Beef, fresh—Sirloin ...	„	0 11	0 11'4	0 11'4	0 11'5	0 11'5	0 11'5	0 9'7	0 10'2	0 11'5	0 10'2
„ Ribs	„	0 9'5	0 9'6	0 9'6	0 9'8	0 9'7	0 9'7	0 8'9	0 8'3	0 9'7	0 8'3
„ Gravy	„	0 6	0 6	0 6	0 6'2	0 6'5	0 6'5	0 7'5	0 6'7	0 6'5	0 6'7
Steak—Rump	„	1 3	1 3	1 4	1 5	1 5	1 5	1 3	1 2	1 5	1 2
„ Shoulder	„	0 9	0 9	0 9	0 9	0 9	0 9	0 8'1	0 8'6	0 9	0 8'6
Beef (corned round) ...	„	0 9	0 9	0 9'6	0 10	0 10	0 10	0 9	0 9'3	0 10	0 9'3
Mutton—Leg	„	0 8	0 8	0 7'9	0 7'7	0 7'7	0 7'7	0 7'5	0 7'6	0 7'7	0 7'6
„ Shoulder	„	0 7	0 7	0 6'7	0 6'5	0 6'5	0 6'5	0 6'5	0 6'3	0 6'5	0 6'3
„ Loin	„	0 8	0 8	0 8'5	0 9	0 9	0 9	0 8'7	0 8'3	0 9	0 8'3
„ Neck	„	0 6	0 6	0 6'5	0 7'5	0 7'5	0 7'5	0 6'9	0 7'1	0 7'5	0 7'1
Chops—Loin	„	0 10'5	0 10'5	0 10'6	0 10'5	0 10'5	0 10'5	0 10'0	0 9'1	0 10'5	0 9'1
„ Leg	„	0 9'5	0 9'5	0 9'4	0 9'2	0 9'5	0 9'2	0 8'7	0 8'6	0 9'5	0 8'6
„ Neck	„	0 6	0 6	0 7	0 8	0 8	0 8	0 7'1	0 7'1	0 8	0 7'1
Lamb—Forequarter ...	„	0 7	0 7	0 7'5	0 8	0 8	0 8	0 8'0	0 8'1	0 8	0 8'1
„ Hindquarter ...	„	0 9'5	0 9'5	0 9'6	0 9'7	0 9'7	0 9'7	0 10'1	0 9'1	0 9'7	0 9'1
Pork, fresh—Leg ...	„	1 2	1 2	1 0'7	1 0	1 0	1 0	1 0	1 0'3	1 0	1 0'3
„ Chops	„	1 1'1	1 1'2	1 1'2	1 1'2	1 1'2	1 1'2	1 2'6	1 2'2	1 1'2	1 2'2

NOTE.—The above averages are based on city prices; the suburban rates are higher. Prices of Groceries represent the predominant rates ruling about the 15th of each month.

No. 57.—Rates of Wages.

Aerated Water Factory Hands, adult males, 60/6 per week; adult females, 32/6 per week.
Bakers (bread)—70/- to 75/- per week; (apprentices), 12/6 to 37/6 per week; (biscuit factories), 67/- to 74/6 per week.

Blacksmiths, 1/9½ per hour.

Boilermakers—1/9½ per hour, 1d. per hour additional, dirt money.

Bookbinders, 70/- per week.

Boot & Shoe makers—Male, 1/6 per hr.; females, 34/- to 42/- per week.

Brass Finishers (general), 1/7½ per hour; (engineering), 1/9½ per hour.

Bread-carters (42 to 54 hrs per wk), 70/- per wk.

Bricklayers, 1/9 per hour.

Brick-carters, 1 horse, 60/- per week: 2 horses, 65/- per week; 3 horses, 69/-; 4 horses, 73/-; 4/- per week extra for each additional horse.

Brickmakers—

Burners, 12/- per shift; machine men, 1/5½ per hr.; setter, 1/6½ per hr.; pitmen, 1/6½ per hr.

Brushmakers—Male, 1/8 per hour, or 77/6 per week; females, 11d. per hour or 36/- per week; or piece-work rates.

Butchers—Shopman, 70/-; carter, 60/-

„ Slaughtermen—Mutton, 33/- per hundred; Beef, £5 per week; Pork, £5 per week.

Carpenters and Joiners, 1/8 per hour.

Cabinetmakers, 79/- per week.

Chairmakers, 79/- per week.

Cigarmakers, 2/9 to 8/6 per 100, acc'dg to shape.

Clerks—Males, 63/-; females, 35/- per week.

„ Junior (16 to 23 years)—Males, 12/6 to 63/-; females, 12/6 to 35/- per week.

Coach-painters, 1/4½ per hour.

Coachsmiths, 1/4½ per hour.

Coal and coke lumpers, 2/- per hour, day work; 3/- per hour, night work.

Compositors (hand)—Journemen, 73/6 per week.

„ „ Piecework, 1/2½ to 1/3½ per 1,000 ens.

Compositors (machine)—Linotype (newspapers), (piece rate) 3¾d., (jobbing), 3¾d. per 1,000 ens.

„ „ Operators, 1/8 to 1/9 per hour.

Coppersmiths, 1/9½ per hour.

Drapers. (See "Shop Assistants.")

Dressmakers, 27/6 to 35/- per week.

Electricians—Mechanics, 1/8½ per hour; Fitters, 1/10½ per hour.

Engine-drivers (staty., &c.), 1/4¾ to 1/8 per hour.

Firemen „ 1/3½ to 1/4½ per hr.

Farriers—Firemen, 80/- per week.

„ Floormen, 75/-

Fitters, Turners (Engineering) 1/9½ per hour.

French-polishers, 79/- per week.

Grocers. (See "Shop Assistants.")

Hairdressers (49½ hours per week), 70/-.

Hotel, Club, Restaurant, Tea Room Employees—

Cooks (male), 60/- to 81/- per week.

Cooks (female), 41/- to 62/4 per week.

Waiters, 60/- per week.

Waitresses, 18/6 to 41/3 per week.

Barmen, 60/- per week.

Barmaids, 43/- per week.

Storemen, 60/- to 69/- per week.

Kitchenmen, 60/- per week.

Ironmongers. (See "Shop Assistants.")

Ironworkers, 1/6¼ per hour.

Jam Factory Workers—

Males, adults, 61/-; boys, 22/6 to 40/- per week, according to age.

Females, adults, 26/-; girls, 20/-; female fillers, 28/- and 37/- per week.

Labourers—Builders', 1/4 to 1/6; General, 1/3 to 1/6 per hour.

Letter-press Machinists, 63/6 and 70/- per wk.

Lithographers, 77/6 and 82/6 per week.

Marble-workers, 1/6 and 1/8 per hour.

Masons and Stone-cutters, 2/0½ per hour.

Navvies, 1/4½ per hour.

Painters (General), 1/7½ per hour

Patternmakers, 1/10½ per hour

Plasterers, 1/9 per hour.

Plumbers, 1/8 per hour.

Quarrymen, 1/11 per hour.

Saw-mill Employees—Machinists, 61/6 to 75/-;

Saw Sharpeners, 72/-; Sawyers, 60/6 to 72/- per week.

Shop Assistants (Metropolitan) Grocers, Tobacconists, &c., Males, 10/- to 65/-; Females, 7/6 to 43/9 according to age.

Shop Assistants (Metropolitan) Drapers, Ironmongers, &c., adults—Males, 57/- to 66/6 per week.

Females, 27/6 to 38/6 per week.

Slaters and Tilers, 1/9 per hour.

Stevedores—Foremen, £4 and £5 per week.

Storemen, per week—Wharf, 69/-; Wool, 62/-

to 67/6; Bonded Store, 60/-; Hardware, 63/-

to 95/-; Packer, 66/-; Softgoods (Wholesale)

Storemen, 65/- to 95/-; Packer, 68/- to 95/-;

Wine and Spirit Storemen, 56/6; Drug Stores

(Wholesale) Storemen, 63/-; Packers, 60/- to

64/6; Grocers (Wholesale) Storemen 62/- to

88/6; Packers, 63/6 to 88/6; Tobacconists

(Wholesale) Storemen 63/- to 92/6; Packers,

64/6 to 92/6; Storemen, n.e.i. 63/- to 73/-;

Packers, n.e.i. 64/6. Produce, Grain, and Seed

Stores (Wholesale)—Storemen and Packers,

64/6 to 85/6 per week; (Retail) 65/6 to 71/6

Tailors—Journemen, 65/- to 82/6 per week, or

log rates.

„ Cutters, 72/6 and 82/6 per week.

„ Pressers, 64/- per week.

„ Piece-work—log rates.

Tailoresses (coat hands), order, 29/6 to 40/- per week.

„ (trousers hands), order, 28/- to 34/- p. wk.

„ Ready-made clothing for men—

Journeywomen on coats, 27/6 p. wk.

Journeywomen on trousers and vests,

28/- per week.

„ Piece-work—log rates.

Textile Workers, Adults—Males, 60/-; Females, 33/3.

Tinsmiths, 1/6¼ per hour.

Trolly and Draymen—

Timber-carters, 1 horse, 66/-; 2 horses, 71/-;

3 horses, 74/6; 4 horses, 78/- per week.

Casual Drivers—1 horse, 12/- per day, with 1/-

per day extra for each additional horse.

Tip-carters, 1 horse, 60/- to 62/6; 2 horses,

65/- to 67/6 per week; 8d. per day extra

for each additional horse.

Wood and Coal Carters—1 horse, 66/6 per

week; 2 horses, 71/6 per week; 3/- per

week for each extra horse.

Upholsterers, 79/- per week.

Wharf Labourers—Casual employees, 1/9 per

hour; constant or weekly hands, 61/6 per week.

Wheelwrights, 1/4½ per hour.

Hotel employees provided with board to receive 14s. per week less than wages prescribed.

No. 57.—Rates of Wages—*continued.**Coal Miners.*

The employees in the Coal-mines in New South Wales work under Agreements or Awards. The rate paid to miners varies according to the selling price of coal per ton ruling at the time, also according to the conditions of the seams or places where the coal is mined.

Coal-mines, Northern District—

Miners, $3/5\frac{2}{5}$ to $5/2\frac{1}{10}$ per ton.
 „ coal-cutting machines, 13/11 to 15/6 per day
 „ Assistants, 10/11 per day.
 Deputies, 16/- to 16/6 per day.
 Shot-firers, 15/- to 15/6 per day.
 Waste-examiners, 15/- to 15/6 per day.
 Engine-drivers—
 Winding and loco. engines, 14/5 per day.
 Other engines, 12/- to 14/5 per day.
 Shiftmen, 10/11 to 15/6 per day.
 Wheelers, 10/6 to 11/8 per day.
 Flatters, 10/11 per day.
 Water-bailers, 10/11 per day.
 Hand-pumpers, 10/11 per day.
 Set riders, 10/11 and 11/5 per day.
 Rolleyway men, 10/11 per day.
 Roadlayers, 11/4 to 13/2 per day.
 Waggon packers, 10/11 per day.
 Banksmen, 12/7 per day.
 Shunters, 10/11 per day.
 Screenmen, 10/11 per day.
 Labourers, 10/11 to 11/5 per day.
 Boys and Youths, 4/4 to 10/8 per day.

Coal-mines, Southern District—

Miners, $2/9\frac{3}{4}$ per ton.
 Overmen (underground), £5 to £6 10s. per week.
 Deputy Overmen, £4 17s. 6d. per week.
 Shot-firers, 15/- per day.
 Shiftmen, 14/1 per day.
 Onsetters, 12/6 per day.
 Banksmen, 12/2½ per day.
 Screenmen, 10/11 per day.
 Mechanics, $12/7\frac{3}{4}$ to 15/4 per day.
 Engineers, 12/6 to 16/8 per day.
 Engine-drivers—Winding, 14/5 per day.
 „ Haulage, 13/2 per day.
 Stokers and firemen, 10/11 to 12/- per day
 Locomotive engine-drivers, 14/5 per day.
 „ stokers, 12/- per day.
 Platelayers, 10/11 per day.
 Furnaceman, 10/11 per day.
 Harness-makers, 11/6 per day
 Wheelers, 12/- per day.
 Water-bailers, 12/- per day.
 Stablemen, 10/11 per day.
 Labourers, 10/11 per day.
 Flatters, 12/- per day.
 Trappers, 4/4 per day.
 Boys, 5/4 per day.

Interstate and Intercolonial Steamers (per month).

Officers, chief, £15 to £26; 2nd, £13 to £23;
 3rd, £14 to £20.
 Firemen, £13.
 Trimmers, £11.

Engineers, chief, £25/6/- to £39/2/-; 2nd, £20/2/6
 to £25/6/-; 3rd, £17/16/6 to £20/14/-
 Able Seamen, £11.
 „ „ (sailing ships), £8 to £12.

Coastal (New South Wales) Steamers (per month).

Officers, Chief, £17 to £23; 2nd, £15 to £19.
 Engineers, £18 to £34/10/-
 Firemen, £13 to £14/1/8.
 Donkeymen, £10 to £11.

Able Seamen and Trimmers, £11 to £12/5/-
 (sailing ship), £7.
 Cooks, £9 to £14/15/-
 Stewards (Chief), £13 to £14/15/-

Farm and Station Hands (with rations and lodging), per week or per year.

Boundary Riders, 40/-
 Bullock Drivers, 42/-
 Bush Carpenters, 35/- to 48/-
 Cooks (station), male 42/- to 72/-, female 30/- to 42/-
 Country Blacksmiths—
 Station, 35/-
 General (without rations), 50/- to 60/-
 Milkers, 36/6.
 Farm Labourers, 30/- to 40/-
 Harvest Hands, accdg. to experience, 7/- to 12/-
 per day.

Horse-team Drivers, 42/-
 Married Couples—
 When wife cooks, £110 to £150.
 Rouseabouts, 20/- to 42/-
 Orchard Hands, 20/- to 30/-
 Shearers (per 100 sheep), no rations, 30/-
 Stockmen, 30/- to 48/-
 Useful Boys, 15/- to 20/- (age under 18 to 21).
 Vignerons, £52 to £55.
 Rabbiters, minimum, 3d. to 8d. per pair;
 present rate 1/3 per pair.

Domestic Servants (with board and lodging), per week.

Cooks (Females)—
 Station, 35/- to 48/-
 Private house, 25/- to 63/-
 Boarding-house, 25/- to 63/-
 Cook and Laundress, 20/- to 35/-
 House and Parlour Maid, 20/- to 30/-

General Servants (aged 18 years and upwards),
 20/- to 30/-
 Nursemaids (aged 15 to 20 years), 20/- to 25/-
 Useful Girls (aged 15 to 18 years), 8/- to 15/-
 Gardeners, 25/- to 48/-
 Grooms and Coachmen, 25/- to 48/-

No. 58.—Meteorology.

District.	June, 1919.					June— (Mean, 1909-1918).			Mean annual— All previous years.	
	Temperature.			Rain- fall.	Number of days Rain.	Mean Temper- ature.	Rain- fall.	Number of days Rain.	Temper- ature.	Rain- fall.
	Mean.	Mean Max.	Mean Min.							
North Coast—	deg. (Fahr.)	deg. (Fahr.)	deg. (Fahr.)	inches.		deg. (Fahr.)	inches.		deg. (Fahr.)	inches.
Grafton	59'1	70'7	47'5	1'08	9	58'5	2'01	7	67'5	34'73
Hunter and Manning—										
Singleton... ..	...	...	...	'22	3	53'5	1'92	7	64'1	29'00
Cumberland—										
Sydney	57'5	65'7	49'2	2'39	7	55'6	3'62	13	63'0	48'02
South Coast—										
Bega	55'6	64'3	37'0	'34	2	50'2	3'64	6	60'5	32'83
Northern Tableland—										
Armidale	46'4	55'3	37'5	'54	6	46'2	2'21	9	56'3	32'58
Central Tableland—										
Bathurst... ..	47'2	59'6	34'8	'70	5	45'6	2'51	9	57'2	23'88
Southern Tableland—										
Goulburn	44'7	54'0	35'5	'91	4	44'0	2'19	10	56'1	24'97
North-western Slope—										
Gunnedah	53'0	64'1	41'8	1'05	3	50'9	1'95	7	65'4	24'51
Central-western Slope—										
Dubbo	51'5	61'6	41'5	'02	1	50'1	2'58	9	63'5	22'40
South-western Slope—										
Wagga	50'0	60'1	39'8	'96	7	47'9	2'62	12	62'1	21'51
North-western Plain—										
Moree	55'6	68'0	43'3	'01	1	53'6	2'06	6	67'3	23'48
Central-western Plain—										
Coonamble	55'7	68'1	43'3	...	...	51'7	1'78	6	65'9	19'73
Riverina—										
Deniliquin	50'2	59'7	40'8	1'20	5	49'6	2'39	10	61'7	16'23

No. 59.—New Buildings erected in Metropolis—Annual

Year.	Returns of Board of Water Supply and Sewerage.		Municipal Returns.			
	Buildings erected and assessed.	Cost of Buildings, including additions to old Buildings.	Buildings for which permission to build was granted.	Estimated Cost of New Buildings.	Estimated Cost of Alter- ations and Additions.	Total Cost, Buildings, Alterations, and Additions.
		£		£	£	£
1912	7,773	5,067,000	8,339	4,988,000	636,000	5,624,000
1913	7,853	5,919,000	9,342	6,512,000	815,000	7,327,000
1914	8,831	6,162,000	8,548	5,236,000	586,000	5,822,000
1915	6,141	4,664,000	6,066	3,850,000	548,000	4,398,000
1916	5,043	4,037,000	5,051	3,395,000	519,000	3,914,000
1917	4,331	3,184,000	4,811	3,150,000	341,000	3,491,000
1918	4,047	3,256,000	4,954	3,822,000	461,000	4,283,000
1919 (6 months)...	2'193	2,036,632	2'909	2,927,000	323,000	3,250,000

No. 60.—New Buildings—Metropolis—Monthly.

Month.	1919.			1918.		
	City.	Suburbs.		City.	Suburbs.	
		No.	Value.		No.	Value.
			£			£
January	16	415	303,481	7	377	229,700
February	11	445	303,241	6	360	230,199
March	16	467	340,917	4	449	280,501
April	9	502	373,678	7	359	213,974
May	9	561	385,754	6	476	318,857
June	30	428	339,854	7	413	266,709
Total (6 months)	91	2,818	2,046,925	37	2,434	1,539,940

No. 61.—New Buildings—Metropolis.

NUMBER and Value of New Buildings and of Alterations and Additions in each Municipality during the six months, January to June.

Municipality.	Estimated Population 31st December, 1918.	New Buildings (to erect which permission granted).				Alterations and Additions.			
		1919.		1918.		1919.		1918.	
		No.	Value.	No.	Value.	No.	Value.	No.	Value.
City of Sydney ...	106,000	91	£ x	37	£ x	176	£ x	251	x
Alexandria ...	11,490	13	12,129	11	26,404	14	1,165	18	2,380
Annandale ...	12,560	4	2,070	9	4,475	12	2,140	7	605
Ashfield ...	29,260	112	75,585	137	86,601	106	6,435	93	4,336
Balmain ...	33,460	7	3,070	8	4,450	27	1,535	20	994
Bexley ...	11,590	102	58,330	65	33,650	28	2,360	20	1,680
Botany ...	5,800	10	4,225	9	12,170	27	6,875	36	3,876
Burwood ...	13,520	42	29,930	84	54,591	41	2,107	42	11,236
Canterbury ...	28,280	260	144,916	272	124,783	116	7,580	95	5,435
Concord ...	7,430	114	83,760	103	60,662	47	2,780	52	3,550
Darlington ...	3,840	1	500	Nil.	...	1	400	3	325
Drummoyne ...	14,580	127	90,117	60	39,470	33	2,330	24	1,870
Eastwood ...	1,560	17	9,650	9	5,075	2	250	Nil.	...
Enfield ...	6,250	55	28,118	31	19,786	22	1,089	36	1,304
Ersleville ...	7,670	5	3,725	1	150	1	50	6	505
Glebe ...	22,720	11	7,965	9	868	13	1,250	4	318
Homebush ...	1,220	24	13,665	6	3,050	2	95	4	105
Hunter's Hill ...	6,040	19	14,050	18	10,540	10	4,640	11	1,145
Hurstville ...	11,360	83	39,718	71	31,353	44	3,315	40	3,017
Kogarah ...	13,640	104	56,876	106	54,879	40	1,879	52	3,721
Lane Cove ...	5,340	65	45,247	34	22,643	34	7,861	22	3,688
Leichhardt ...	28,240	34	15,030	53	28,316	35	2,229	61	5,386
Manly ...	14,440	66	63,365	42	36,675	Nil.	...	Nil.	...
Marrickville ...	38,260	61	37,243	68	35,195	24	5,406	43	2,995
Mascot ...	9,100	21	10,795	18	16,955	19	766	22	1,656
Mosman ...	17,610	57	59,810	51	48,295	43	5,835	29	8,720
Newtown ...	27,910	9	3,070	7	4,800	12	1,350	28	3,566
North Sydney ...	41,830	71	88,640	76	67,512	97	17,677	104	19,695
Paddington ...	25,890	7	4,580	8	5,350	8	1,685	13	2,049
Petersham ...	24,200	49	32,320	40	20,365	21	2,382	20	3,041
Randwick ...	35,800	336	243,918	287	185,642	138	47,349	86	11,228
Redfern ...	25,030	5	8,950	1	550	16	5,210	12	840
Rockdale ...	20,900	130	67,864	92	43,486	47	1,521	65	1,782
Ryde ...	10,420	94	62,254	92	48,915	11	674	17	4,152
St. Peters ...	10,840	5	2,740	14	5,520	9	439	14	684
Strathfield ...	5,950	49	31,715	20	13,900	27	1,414	21	4,551
Vaucluse ...	2,770	31	31,560	20	22,708	10	885	11	1,266
Waterloo ...	11,250	11	61,826	22	47,747	9	1,900	13	830
Waverley ...	29,250	168	132,246	150	80,024	75	12,261	40	8,351
Willoughby ...	22,580	218	142,000	131	85,205	105	5,869	27	2,480
Woollahra ...	21,260	98	111,751	89	85,580	74	40,289	75	16,135
Ku-ring-gai Shire ...	15,560	123	111,602	110	61,600	86	11,693	89	5,716
Total Suburbs ...	686,700	2,818	2,046,925	2,434	1,539,940	1,486	222,970	1,375	155,213
Total City of Sydney	106,000	91	x	37	x	176	x	251	x
Grand Total ...	792,700	2,909	x	2,471	x	1,662	x	1,626	x

x Information is not available.

During the month of June, 1919, the number of new buildings erected was 458, viz., 30 in the City and 428 in the Suburbs. The largest numbers were:—Canterbury, 43; Randwick, 42; Waverley, 29; Willoughby, 28; Rockdale and Ku-ring-gai Shire, 24 each; Strathfield, 23; and Concord 20.

No. 62—Local Government, 1907 and 1917

(Particulars of Municipalities and Shires).

Local Areas.	Area.	Population	Unimproved Capital Value (000's omitted).	Improved Capital Value (000's omitted).	* Assessed Annual Value (000's omitted).	Revenue.		Expenditure.	
						From Rates.	Total.	On Works.	Total.
	acres.		£	£	£	£	£	£	£
City of Sydney { 1907	2,892	118,370	20,208	45,750	2,323	193,053	339,619	275,659	398,330
{ 1917	3,327	106,000	31,130	81,976	3,534	456,612	1,161,406	544,643	1,228,187
Suburbs ... { 1907	92,367	458,810	19,583	57,578	3,726	252,030	320,990	230,859	327,152
{ 1917	91,932	656,480	36,809	101,494	7,400	669,550	899,375	713,924	872,942
Total { 1907	95,259	577,180	39,791	103,328	6,049	445,083	660,609	506,518	725,482
Metropolitan { 1917	95,259	762,480	67,939	183,470	10,934	1,126,162	2,060,781	1,258,567	2,101,129
Country—									
Newcastle and { 1907	18,979	55,730	3,165	6,867	413	30,343	48,586	38,526	56,735
Suburbs { 1917	18,979	59,600	3,520	9,549	620	57,482	128,558	77,968	107,610
Other Country { 1907	1,805,659	356,170	11,711	34,801	2,378	254,636	386,655	288,447	389,939
Municipalities { 1917	1,723,296	394,200	20,831	52,506	3,873	459,334	935,925	613,405	860,489
Total Country { 1907	1,824,638	411,900	14,876	41,668	2,791	284,979	435,241	326,973	446,674
Municipalities { 1917	1,742,275	453,800	24,351	62,055	4,493	516,816	1,064,483	691,373	968,099
Total { 1907	1,919,897	989,080	54,667	144,996	8,840	730,062	1,095,850	833,491	1,172,156
Municipalities { 1917	1,837,534	1,216,280	92,290	245,525	15,427	1,642,978	3,125,264	1,949,940	3,069,228
Shires ... { 1907	114,643,200	521,430	81,527	†.....	†.....	287,635	535,659	249,608	385,605
{ 1917	115,621,120	658,880	107,695	†.....	†.....	691,090	1,112,523	1,000,983	1,140,727
Total, all { 1907	116,563,097	1,510,510	136,194	†.....	†.....	1,017,697	1,631,509	1,083,099	1,557,761
Local Areas { 1917	117,458,054	1,875,160	199,985	†.....	†.....	2,334,068	4,237,787	2,950,923	4,209,955

NOTE.—The area unincorporated at 31st December, 1917, was 81,179,426 acres, the population of which was 13,969.

* Equal to nine-tenths of Annual Rental Value.

† Not available.

No. 63.—Local Government, 1907–1917.

Year.	Municipalities (including City of Sydney).				Shires.			
	Unimproved Capital Value (000's omitted).	Revenue.		Total Expenditure.	Unimproved Capital Value (000's omitted).	Revenue.		Total Expenditure.
		From Rates.	Total.			From Rates.	Total.	
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1907	54,667	730,062	1,095,850	1,172,156	81,527	287,635	535,659	385,605
1908	64,113	815,914	1,405,780	1,314,544	82,415	370,373	626,868	656,219
1909	63,255	930,895	1,650,642	1,424,767	83,464	376,897	717,144	676,784
1910	63,529	958,611	1,705,211	1,701,996	89,936	423,477	794,374	753,150
1911	69,844	1,066,787	1,898,447	1,800,428	94,190	469,605	881,030	832,206
1912	72,276	1,144,644	2,129,928	2,081,434	97,661	524,485	999,498	933,325
1913	72,885	1,282,500	2,509,605	2,340,558	99,452	572,892	836,511	886,090
1914	81,949	1,488,364	2,734,952	2,495,139	103,451	623,690	1,044,992	996,471
1915	83,473	1,541,396	2,902,562	2,738,836	104,746	626,514	1,066,121	1,018,870
1916	89,267	1,639,091	3,088,062	2,808,005	105,698	651,437	1,093,023	1,078,897
1917	92,290	1,642,978	3,125,264	3,069,228	107,695	691,090	1,112,523	1,140,727

No. 64.—Crown Lands Selections, 1919.

The following statements show—(first) the Land Selected and (second) the Area made available for Residential Settlement during the month of June, 1919, and during the period from 1st January to 30th June, 1919:—

LANDS SELECTED UNDER THE CROWN LANDS ACT AND CLOSER SETTLEMENT ACTS.

Description of Holding.	During June, 1919.		1st January to 30th June, 1919.	
	No. of Applicants.	Area (acres).	No. of Applicants.	Area (acres).
ORIGINAL HOLDINGS.				
Original Conditional Purchases	25	4,085	141	19,667
Conditional Leases applied for returned soldiers .. .. .	...	...	...	...
these O.C. Purchases	(13)	3,388	(58)	18,608
Crown Leases—ordinary	44	65,388	317	527,066
Homestead Farms—ordinary	8	18,681	32	58,326
for returned soldiers	12	14,667	76	86,799
Suburban Holdings—ordinary	19	39,808	98	152,100
for returned soldiers	15	222	95	1,545
Settlement Purchases (Closer Settlement Acts)	1	1	11	1
Irrigation Farms .. .. .	...	...	2	2,522
for returned soldiers	1	50	2	2,205
Town Blocks (without residence) within an Irrigation Area	12	136	5	1,482
Week-end Leases	3	1	15	208
Leases of Town Lands .. .. .	...	...	19	3
Special Holdings for returned soldiers .. .. .	...	...	...	184
Homestead Selections	13	853	88	6,170
Special Conditional Purchase Lease	1	456	1	456
Special Conditional Purchase Lease	1	200	1	203
Total	145	147,936	909	877,542

ADDITIONAL HOLDINGS.

Additional Conditional Purchases (Crown Lands)	31	5,701	129	18,829
Conditional Leases not applied for simultaneously with O.C. Purchases .. .. .	...	...	2	321
Additional Homestead Selections	34	9,029	153	52,493
for returned soldiers .. .. .	...	...	4	2,453
Settlement Leases .. .. .	...	...	2	1,660
Conditional Purchase Lease .. .. .	...	...	3	835
Crown Leases	1	400	14	9,467
for returned soldiers .. .. .	...	...	3	742
Homestead Farms	8	4,273	29	30,652
for returned soldiers .. .. .	...	...	6	4,009
Suburban Holdings .. .. .	...	...	8	144
for returned soldiers .. .. .	...	...	2	7
Total	74	19,403	355	121,612

AREAS SPECIALLY SET APART FOR RESIDENTIAL SETTLEMENT.

Description of Holding.	During June, 1919.		1st January to 30th June, 1919.	
	No. of Blocks.	Area (acres).	No. of Blocks.	Area (acres).
ORIGINAL HOLDINGS.				
Crown Leases—ordinary	9	6,206	58	73,446
for returned soldiers	11	27,776	50	94,550
Homestead Farms—ordinary	15	5,285	55	63,328
for returned soldiers	41	33,250	151	196,006
Suburban Holdings—ordinary	87	1,344	119	1,868
for returned soldiers	1	1	1	1
Special Holdings for returned soldiers	20	765	122	7,071
Settlement Purchases (Closer Settlement Acts) .. .. .	...	...	...	...
for returned soldiers .. .. .	...	...	6	8,179
Irrigation Farms .. .. .	...	...	1	99
for returned soldiers	115	8,982	145	10,285
Group Purchases for returned soldiers .. .. .	...	...	10	5,766
Week-end Leases	7	280	16	462
Town Lands Blocks (without residence) within an Irrigation Area .. .. .	...	...	100	23
Original Conditional Purchase .. .. .	...	...	6	534
Original Conditional Purchase and Conditional Lease in virtue thereof	2	1,080	9	4,330
for returned soldiers .. .. .	...	...	1	260
Total	308	84,969	850	466,208

ADDITIONAL HOLDINGS.

Every Class of Additional Holdings	15	7,653	110	66,659
Additional Conditional Purchase .. .. .	...	...	1	300
Conditional Purchase and Conditional Leases	1	50	5	1,287
for returned soldiers .. .. .	...	...	8	2,659
Homestead Selections	2	1,351	4	2,052
for returned soldiers .. .. .	...	...	2	1,514
Settlement Leases .. .. .	...	...	...	...
Suburban Holdings	2	87	20	319
for returned soldiers .. .. .	...	...	1	1
Crown Leases .. .. .	...	...	2	740
for returned soldiers .. .. .	...	...	1	361
Homestead Farms	1	1,422	12	29,981
for returned soldiers .. .. .	...	...	5	3,709
Homestead Farm and Additional Crown Lease .. .. .	...	...	...	...
Total	21	10,563	171	109,582

No. 66.—Comparative Summary—New South Wales, 1861-1916-17.

	1861.	1871.	1881.	1891.	1901.	1911.	1917-18.
Area, 309,480 square miles.							
Population.							
31st December ... persons	357,978	517,758	782,080	1,162,190	1,376,199	1,698,736	1,928,174
Births ... No.	14,681	20,143	28,993	39,458	37,875	47,077	50,700
" " " " " rate	41'56	39'64	37'90	34'55	27'71	28'64	26'55
Deaths ... No.	5,343	6,407	11,536	16,286	16,021	17,179	18,840
" " " " " rate	15'12	12'61	15'08	14'26	11'72	10'32	9'87
Marriages ... No.	3,222	3,953	6,284	8,457	10,538	15,267	13,199
" " " " " rate	9'12	7'78	8'21	7'41	7'71	9'17	6'91
Agriculture.							
Total area under crop... acres	295,917	393,413	583,868	846,383	2,276,528	3,629,170	4,462,916
Wheat—Area ... bshl.	123,468	154,030	221,887	356,666	1,392,070	2,380,710	3,329,371
Yield... ..	1,606,034	2,229,642	3,405,966	3,963,668	14,808,705	25,088,102	37,712,000
Average	13'0	14'5	15'4	11'1	10'6	10'5	11'3
Maize—Area ... acres	57,959	119,956	117,478	174,577	167,333	167,781	145,754
Yield... ..	1,727,434	4,015,973	4,330,956	5,721,706	3,844,993	4,507,342	3,499,960
Average	29'8	33'5	36'9	32'8	22'9	26'9	24'0
Hay—Area ... acres	45,175	51,805	146,610	163,863	442,163	654,149	620,644
Yield... ..	57,363	77,460	198,532	209,417	472,621	728,474	784,206
Average	1'27	1'50	1'36	1'28	1'07	1'11	1'26
Total value of all Agricultural production	£ *	2,220,000	4,216,000	3,615,000	7,060,000	9,749,000	13,671,780
Total value per acre under crop	£ *	5/11/9	7/4/5	4/5/5	3/2/0	2/13/9	3/1/3
Pastoral, Dairying, &c.							
Sheep No.	5,613,054	16,278,697	36,591,946	61,831,416	41,857,099	44,947,287	38,621,196
Cattle	2,271,923	2,014,888	2,597,348	2,128,838	2,047,454	3,104,236	3,161,717
Horses	233,220	304,100	398,577	469,647	486,716	689,004	742,247
Pigs	149,091	213,193	213,916	253,189	265,730	371,093	398,157
Production of Wool ... lb.	19,254,800	74,401,300	161,676,000	375,600,000	310,075,000	371,546,000	284,188,000
Value (f.o.b., Sydney)	£ 1,408,000	4,760,000	7,187,200	11,059,300	9,072,100	13,264,000	19,538,000
Production of Butter... lb.	*	*	*	18,302,897	39,056,878	83,204,568	80,468,007
" Cheese... ..	*	*	*	5,506,071	3,838,835	5,466,652	7,799,676
" Bacon & Ham ...	*	*	*	6,009,600	11,080,891	16,102,827	18,555,144
Total value of Pastoral and Dairying Production	£ *	8,709,000	13,151,000	17,460,000	15,598,000	24,649,000	36,915,000
Mineral Production.							
Gold oz. fine	425,209	294,389	135,033	131,654	173,543	181,121	87,045
" " " " " £	1,869,171	1,250,485	573,582	559,231	737,164	769,353	369,743
Silver oz.	*	*	*	729,590	448,501	1,767,496	2,007,037
" " " " " £	*	*	*	134,850	50,484	177,095	419,498
Silver-lead & ore, &c. ... ton	*	*	*	147,780	417,078	338,469	295,045
" " " " " £	*	*	*	3,484,739	1,803,979	2,265,669	4,711,669
Copper—ingots & ore, &c. ... ton	*	*	4,124	2,710	6,733	12,100	6,510
" " " " " £	3,532	11,828	267,884	119,195	412,292	590,102	696,580
Tin—ingots and ore ton	*	*	6,433	1,657	659	1,929	1,860
" " " " " £	(2)12,227	568,795	133,963	76,544	307,089	548,876	548,876
Zinc—Spelter, Concentrates ton	*	*	219	632	516,378	87,019	87,019
" " " " " £	*	*	2,622	4,057	1,414,980	295,413	295,413
Coal ton	342,068	898,785	1,769,597	4,037,929	5,968,426	8,691,604	9,063,176
" " " " " £	218,821	316,340	603,248	1,742,796	2,178,929	3,167,165	4,941,807
Total value of all Mineral Production	£ 2,029,000	1,626,000	2,138,000	6,434,000	5,681,000	9,410,000	13,941,000
Production from Minor Primary Industries (including Forests and Fisheries).	£ *	(8) 400,000	(8) 650,000	(8) 758,000	(8) 733,000	3,250,000	5,544,000
Production all Primary Industries	£ *	12,955,000	20,155,000	28,267,000	29,072,000	47,058,000	69,762,000
" " " " " per head £	*	25/9/10	26/6/11	24/1/11	21/5/4	28/5/5	36/17/8
Land Settlement.							
Alienated holdings—							
1,000 acres and under ... No.	*	*	36,259	46,566	64,950	81,722	85,917
" " " " " area	*	*	6,628,310	8,827,066	10,673,563	13,669,311	14,789,429
1,000 to 10,000 acres ... No.	*	*	2,646	4,307	5,160	7,803	9,433
" " " " " area	*	*	6,990,312	11,370,329	13,305,738	19,551,728	23,743,415
Over 10,000 acres ... No.	*	*	449	677	719	708	735
" " " " " area	*	*	14,073,597	21,884,299	22,638,524	20,185,845	19,263,231
Manufactories.							
Number of Factories	601	1,813	2,961	3,056	3,367	5,039	5,414
Hands employed	*	*	28,819	43,203	54,556	82,123	90,025
" " " " " females	*	*	2,372	7,676	11,674	26,541	39,529
Salaries and Wages paid ... £	*	*	*	4,272,704	4,945,079	10,051,161	14,701,255
Value of Machinery and Plant £	*	*	*	4,386,475	5,890,725	12,510,600	21,739,239
Total value of Output ... £	*	*	*	16,807,132	25,648,471	54,346,011	96,178,191
Value of Production (value added to raw materials) ... £	*	2,424,000	5,025,000	7,799,000	9,742,000	19,143,000	29,017,000
" " " " " per head £	*	4/15/5	6/11/4	6/16/7	7/12/6	11/10/1	15/6/9
Shipping.							
Inwards, Vessels No.	1,327	1,891	2,254	2,602	2,760	3,127	2,226
" " " " " tons	366,235	706,019	1,456,239	2,752,157	4,133,200	6,822,135	4,402,399
Outwards, Vessels No.	1,396	2,123	2,103	2,654	2,853	3,146	2,235
" " " " " tons	379,462	794,460	1,330,261	2,801,320	4,274,101	6,833,782	4,417,399

* Not available.

(2) Year 1872. (8) Value of Forests and Fisheries only. Other minor industries (poultry, bees, &c.) are included in Pastoral and Dairying.

No. 66.—Comparative Summary—New South Wales, 1861-1916-17—continued.

	1861.	1871.	1881.	1891.	1901.	1911.	1917-18.
Trade.							
Imports, Oversea	£ 4,547,813	5,481,655	11,829,007	15,127,641	17,560,207	27,343,428	28,447,579
" " per head	£ 12/17/6	10/15/9	15/9/3	13/4/11	12/16/11	16/8/7	15/1/9
Exports, Oversea	£ 3,690,748	5,452,840	9,753,044	14,620,889	18,210,627	32,161,401	36,929,487
" " per head	£ 10/8/11	10/14/7	12/15/0	12/16/0	13/6/5	19/6/5	19/10/6
Interstate Transfers, Inwards	£ 2,056,256	4,453,412	5,758,005	10,255,756	9,368,011	*	*
" " Outwards	£ 2,918,713	5,808,379	6,554,161	11,323,131	9,140,497	*	*
Produce of New South Wales, exported Oversea. (1)							
Wool (greasy and scoured) ...	lb. 12,745,891	38,323,302	81,906,922	235,470,988	217,285,747	295,315,438	145,810,077
" " " " " " "	£ 1,396,426	2,292,522	4,107,715	7,670,460	7,420,119	11,704,409	10,821,724
Wheat and Flour	bus. 28,025	8,445	21,699	54,047	5,204,892	£4,324,845	11,671,364
" " " " " " "	£ 9,570	2,414	5,337	11,683	680,719	£7,519,354	2,992,960
Butter	lb. (2) 53,080	(2) 1,153,040	402,421	401,690	8,699,817	33,044,324	25,694,697
" " " " " " "	£ 2,536	27,415	11,992	17,756	379,341	1,518,993	1,738,206
Frozen Mutton	lb. ...	...	*	*	39,369,792	59,948,989	8,720,821
" " " " " " "	£ ...	...	*	*	382,385	682,027	207,157
Other Meats	£ 11,536	130,999	191,774	194,013	381,768	607,002	1,608,990
Tallow	£ 58,393	245,352	244,271	292,672	362,631	871,008	398,881
Leather	£ 6,810	83,899	130,417	130,774	347,327	323,517	459,850
Skins and Hides	£ 77,127	38,115	130,277	370,295	431,232	1,145,138	1,907,530
Minerals and Ores (exclusive of Gold)	£ 65,372	248,996	1,214,085	1,392,076	1,893,314	4,072,531	8,353,563
Timber, undressed	£ 2,221	3,990	12,930	44,437	70,124	243,814	105,377
Public Finance. (3)							
Net Revenue proper	£ 1,421,831	2,215,846	6,551,134	9,773,332	11,007,356	15,797,135	21,577,229
" " per head	£ 4/0/6	4/7/2	8/11/3	8/11/2	7/19/11	9/6/0	11/8/6
Expenditure proper	£ 1,529,788	2,666,948	5,625,749	10,215,820	11,008,173	16,317,279	21,553,405
" " per head	£ 4/6/7	5/4/11	7/7/1	8/18/11	8/0/0	9/10/0	11/8/3
Loan Expenditure	£ 409,121	488,727	2,397,368	4,750,167	4,939,241	5,491,103	4,487,511
" " per head	£ 1/3/2	19/3	31/2/8	4/3/2	3/11/9	3/14/8	2/7/6
Banks.							
Deposits	£ 5,029,692	7,043,886	20,308,017	35,659,690	33,258,456	57,140,156	82,252,003
Advances	£ 5,764,059	7,668,022	20,935,596	45,068,914	35,068,787	49,016,008	73,015,430
Assets	£ 8,809,829	11,592,076	27,870,483	53,599,259	43,437,559	64,881,499	100,674,174
Liabilities	£ 6,292,170	8,016,832	22,394,316	37,589,764	35,077,832	58,349,554	88,980,632
Savings Banks.							
Depositors	No. 13,282	24,379	72,384	158,426	306,311	544,023	920,337
Deposits	£ 615,409	945,915	2,698,701	5,342,135	11,808,710	25,361,338	43,939,012
Average per depositor	£ 46/6/8	38/16/0	37/5/8	33/11/5	38/11/0	46/12/4	46/12/3
" " per head of population	£ 1/14/5	1/16/6	3/9/0	4/11/11	8/11/7	14/18/7	22/12/3
Railways. (4)							
Length of Line open ... miles	74	359	996	2,197	3,026	3,832	4,679
Capital cost	£ 1,536,932	5,887,258	13,301,597	33,312,608	40,565,073	53,514,903	75,050,450
Passengers carried	No. 595,591	759,062	6,997,312	19,189,916	30,885,214	79,769,728	94,304,516
Net Earnings	£ 13,817	158,257	705,892	1,193,044	1,401,317	2,321,882	3,014,433
Net return on capital invested	per cent. 90	2'69	5'31	3'58	3'48	4'41	4'10
Tramways. (4)							
Length of Line open ... miles	...	...	9½	48	104	195½	225
Capital cost ... ..	£ ...	...	169,450	1,099,659	2,829,363	5,664,324	8,470,091
Passengers carried	No. ...	...	7,090,125	71,477,948	108,135,111	266,789,546	255,740,808
Net Earnings ... ..	£ ...	...	10,442	56,799	89,773	249,980	389,381
Net return on capital invested	per cent. ...	...	6'16	5'28	3'17	4'63	4'64
Postal.							
Number of Offices	340	570	1,128	1,728	2,208	2,490	2,579
Letters and Post Cards dealt with	No. 4,369,463	7,509,500	26,534,160	68,087,300	82,783,467	189,656,401	255,177,316
" " per head	£ 12'37	14'77	34'68	60'41	60'56	113'94	134'91
Newspapers dealt with ...	No. 3,384,245	3,902,100	16,527,900	42,517,300	52,317,650	71,619,194	62,320,777
" " per head	£ 9'58	7'86	21'60	37'23	38'27	43'03	32'95
Telegraphs.							
Number of Stations	36	89	318	674	978	1,406	2,237
Length of wire (5)	1,981	5,579	14,278	24,780	46,153	31,123	37,236
Telegrams	No. 74,204	218,530	1,607,206	4,040,251	3,449,315	5,863,560	7,599,417
Money Orders.							
Issued in New South Wales	£ ...	293,370	771,378	1,577,744	1,637,488	2,819,183	4,595,389
" " " " " " "	£ ...	271,842	675,025	1,518,987	1,669,730	2,949,264	4,574,808
Public Schools.							
Schools at close of the year	No. 179	659	1,406	2,461	2,818	3,125	3,221
Teachers	No. *	810	2,199	4,438	5,212	6,517	8,759
Scholars on roll (6)	No. 11,660	39,670	144,119	206,438	210,588	221,810	277,874
Average attendance	No. *	*	*	122,528	154,404	160,776	221,940
Expenditure by the State on Education, etc.	£ 76,911	151,225	687,422	1,002,379	918,819	1,390,146	2,214,360

* Not available.

(1) The exports in 1916-17 include articles produced in other States of Australia. Since 1st January, 1912, the Federal Customs Department has classified all goods produced in the Commonwealth simply as "Australian," without distinguishing, as formerly, the particular State where they were produced. (2) Includes cheese.

(3) For 1861 Gross Revenue and Expenditure are shown. Particulars for 1901 and 1911 are for the year ended 30th June following. Transfers to Public Works Fund and Closer Settlement Fund are excluded in 1911 and 1914-15. (4) Subsequent to 1881 the particulars are for the year ended 30th June following. (5) 1891 and 1901 include telephone wire; 1911 is exclusive of mileage of wire erected for railways; total length, 1914, last year of record. (6) 1901 and following years are for the December quarter.

No. 67.—Autumn and Winter Lambing, 1919.

The following particulars, which show the Official estimates of the Autumn and Winter lambings, are based on information supplied by the Chief Inspector of Stock from reports by the various Stock Inspectors.

The usual custom of grouping the various Pastures Protection Districts in the principal statistical divisions of the State has been observed, and the results are contained in the following table :—

Division.	Estimated No. of Ewes in Division, 31 Dec., 1918.	Estimated No. of Ewes Mated.	Lambs Dropped.		Probable Markings.		No. of Ewes reserved for Spring or Summer Lambing.
			No.	Per cent.	No.	Per cent.	
Coastal Division	474,000	164,000	91,000	55	65,000	40	218,000
Tableland Division—							
Northern	1,062,000	35,000	5,000	14	3,000	9	708,000
Central	860,000	185,000	143,000	77	106,000	57	533,000
Southern	1,289,000	.....	.....	...	.....	...	852,000
Total	3,211,000	220,000	148,000	67	109,000	50	2,093,000
Western Slopes—							
North	1,752,000	1,010,000	702,000	70	435,000	43	260,000
Central	2,366,000	1,421,000	832,000	59	631,000	44	200,000
South	1,627,000	978,000	688,000	70	524,000	54	94,000
Total	5,745,000	3,409,000	2,222,000	65	1,590,000	47	554,000
Central Plains and Riverina Division—							
North	1,629,000	569,000	464,000	48	263,000	27	530,000
Central	1,946,000	1,030,000	350,000	34	136,000	13	500,000
Riverina	3,847,000	3,323,000	2,597,000	78	2,311,000	70	100,000
Total	7,422,000	5,322,000	3,411,000	64	2,710,000	51	1,130,000
Western Division	3,103,000	2,358,000	1,196,000	51	720,000	31	128,000
Total, New South Wales ...	19,955,000	11,473,000	7,068,000	62	5,194,000	45	4,123,000

Except in portions of the South Western Slope and the Riverina, the season has been decidedly unfavorable, owing to the absence of serviceable rains. In some districts there has been a complete failure of the pasturage, whilst in others it has been dry and coarse and quite unsuitable to enable the ewes to nourish the lambs.

At the close of 1918 the ewes in the State numbered about 19,953,000, and of these 11,473,000, or nearly 58 per cent., were mated for the Autumn and Winter lambings. Approximately 6,500,000 ewes were timed to lamb in the Autumn, and 4,120,000 lambs were dropped, representing 63 per cent.; the markings being 3,082,000, or 47 per cent. In the Winter the percentages of births and probable markings for the State as a whole were below those obtained at the earlier lambing. The number of ewes mated was 4,973,000, the lambs dropped and probable markings being 2,948,000 and 2,112,000 respectively.

The estimates of the Autumn and Winter Lambings for the past five years are shown below in comparative form :—

Year.	Ewes in State at the end of previous year.	Ewes Mated.	Lambs Dropped.		Probable Markings.		Ewes reserved for Spring Lambing
			Total.	Per cent.	Total.	Per cent.	
1915	17,549,000	9,578,000	5,132,000	54	2,900,000	30	3,772,000
1916	17,119,000	10,642,000	7,277,000	68	5,750,000	54	4,580,000
1917	17,793,000	12,414,000	9,248,000	74	7,779,000	62	3,445,000
1918	19,067,000	13,310,000	9,719,000	73	7,720,000	58	3,260,000
1919	19,955,000	11,473,000	7,068,000	62	5,194,000	45	4,123,000

Spring Lambing.

The number of ewes reserved for Spring lambing was 4,123,000, including a proportion of the ewes which failed to lamb during the Autumn. It is anticipated that with normal conditions 2,953,000 lambs will be dropped and 2,456,000 will be marked. This number is in excess of last year's estimate, but is dependent entirely upon improved weather conditions. All classes of sheep have been affected adversely by the continued dry weather, and as only coarse dry feed was available in many districts prior to and during the mating season, the health and condition of both rams and ewes were not conducive to satisfactory results.

IRRIGATION FARMING IN NEW SOUTH WALES.

THE GREAT 'MURRUMBIDGEE' IRRIGATION SCHEME.

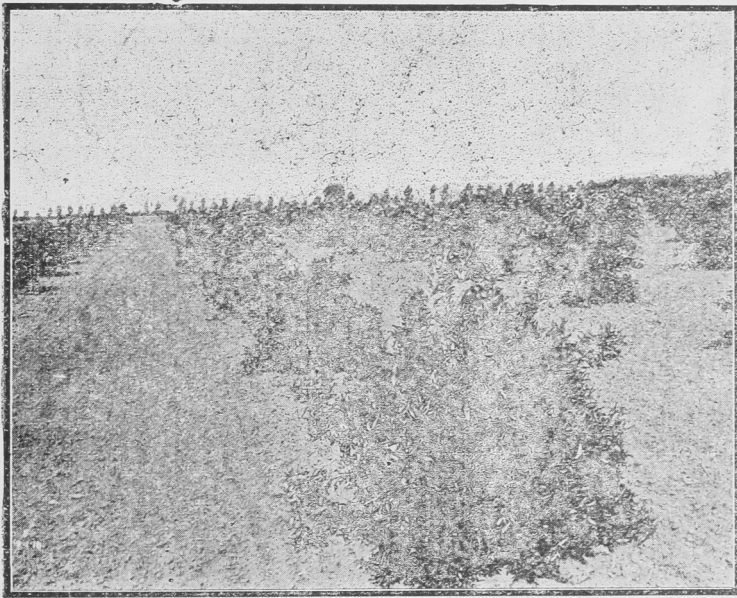
(A STATE ENTERPRISE.)

Soils may be chosen suitable for the—
Orchardist, Dairyman, Poultryman, Pig Farmer, Bee Farmer, Vegetable Grower,
Viticulturist, Fat-Lamb Raiser, General Farmer.

LIBERAL AND PRACTICAL ASSISTANCE TO SETTLERS ON THE EASIEST OF TERMS.

Subject to such conditions as to security and terms of repayment as the Commission may think fit to impose, Settlers may obtain an advance or have payment of rent and water rates suspended. Trees and Vines may be purchased from the Commission's Nursery—Specially selected Dairy Stock are obtainable—Pedigree Stock may be hired—Railway Concessions are granted on New South Wales Railways.

(Change of policy may require alteration of terms of assistance.)



A Young Citrus Orchard.

SPECIAL ADVANTAGES.

The whole scheme is administered by the State Government, and the products are carried to market on Government-owned railways.

There is No Balloting for Land.

Instruction and demonstration in Agricultural and Irrigation methods are always available, free of cost to the settler, by experts employed by the State.

The climate of the Murrumbidgee Irrigation Areas is dry and healthy—hot in summer, which makes it suitable for drying fruit.

Water is supplied solely by gravitation (no pumping required) at a very cheap rate.

Butter, Canning, Bacon, and Cheese Factories, also a Pulping Plant, have been established in connection with the Scheme.

Schools, Churches, Banks, and Stores have been established.

Applications for land are dealt with promptly.

Information on every point, including pamphlets, lithographs, and lists of lands available is obtainable from

**The Secretary, Water Conservation and Irrigation Commission, Branch "C,"
39 Hunter-street, Sydney, or**

The Resident Commissioner, Murrumbidgee Irrigation Areas, Leeton.